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"NO REPETITION OF LOSITANIA INCIDENT" BERNSTORFF SAYS

Ambassador Tells Lansing in Conference Submarines Now Are Exercising Great Precaution, and Assures Him of Germany's Desire to Avoid Rupture of Relations.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, told Secretary Lansing today he believed the German reply to the last American note on submarine warfare presented opportunity for settlement of the controversy by further diplomatic negotiation.

The Ambassador conferred with Secretary Lansing an hour and talked later with Assistant Secretary Phillips.

Lansing Much Interested.
In the absence of President Wilson, Secretary Lansing was unable to inform the Ambassador what course the United States would pursue in its next note, but he heard with much interest Count von Bernstorff's explanation of the purposes of the German Government to satisfy public opinion at home on the maintenance of submarine warfare, and at the same time to maintain friendly relations with the United States.

The Ambassador personally is convinced there will be no repetition of the Lusitania disaster, and that German submarines now are exercising great precaution to avoid incidents which might inflame public opinion in the United States.

With that idea in mind, he urged that the United States take advantage of the intimation in Berlin's reply that Germany would be willing to have the entire question of freedom of the seas mediated with Great Britain through the American Government.

Such a course, American officials have indicated, might be more welcome if accompanied by assurance that during the pendency of the negotiations American lives and vessels would be safe.

Count von Bernstorff refused to reveal what had taken place at today's conference beyond saying it was a satisfactory interview, and he felt encouraged to believe the danger of a rupture had been reduced. He based his optimism on the view that the German Government did not want a break, and would do all in its power to prevent one. He is confident that the United States holds a similar view.

The Ambassador's interview was entirely informal. He came without special instructions from his Government. That, however, is not unusual, as he would be expected by his foreign office in such a situation to exert every influence toward bringing about an understanding. He sent a long report on his visit by wireless to the Berlin Foreign Office.

Austrian Note Not Discussed.
Secretary Lansing would make no statement on the conference. The torpedoing of the German steamer Nebraskan, for which Germany has expressed regret and promised reparation, also was discussed. The note from Austria-Hungary on war exports was not discussed, it was stated on the highest authority.

The Ambassador discussed with Mr. Phillips arrangements originally made for the safe conduct of Dr. Anton Meyer-Gerhard, who went to Berlin as a personal envoy of Count von Bernstorff. Safe conduct was given for Dr. Meyer-Gerhard with the idea that he would return to the United States. Now it is believed he will not return and that arrangements are being made to relieve him of any pledge he may have given.

Germany previously had declared a willingness to abandon her submarine warfare if England would give up her policy of starving the people.

It has been indicated by officials of the Washington Government that negotiations to adjust the question could only be undertaken provided assurances were given that meantime German submarine commanders would govern themselves according to the principle for which the United States contends—that Americans on unarmed and unresisting ships be made safe. The fact, however, that even enemy ships have not been torpedoed without warning in the last month and the probability that this practice will be continued is emphasized in German official circles. Admission is made by United States officials that if the practice were continued the principles for which the United States asked assurances in its last note to Germany would largely be complied with.

Nebaskan Incident Not Closed.
Although officials were pleased by the receipt yesterday of a memorandum from Ambassador Gerard formally transmitting Germany's admission of liability and expression of regret for the attack by a German submarine on the American steamer Nebraskan, they virtually decided that the legal points raised by the incident would require the dispatch of a note on the subject further

"MANAGERS TRYING TO MAKE GLEN ECHO EXCLUSIVE" AFTER HE GASHES THROAT IN CELL

This Is Why 135 Were Eliminated, Say Some of the Members.
GUARDS FAILED TO FIND HIDDEN KNIFE CONCEALED ON HIS PERSON.
BODY SHOWN TO CROWD

A. B. Lambert, Trustee of Reorganized Club, Says No Explanation Was Due "Frozen Outs."

Albert Bond Lambert, chairman of the committee of nine trustees which "froze out" 135 members of the Glen Echo Country Club in making up the eligible list of the New Glen Echo Country Club told a Post-Dispatch reporter today that he did not think any specific explanation was due to the excluded members.

"The Glen Echo Country Club has ceased to exist," said Lambert. "As purchasers of the club's property at public auction, the trustees were under no obligation to take in any member of the old club when organizing a new club."

Lambert was asked about the proposition to reorganize the club submitted to the members with the understanding that the reorganization would be carried through if 300 members of the club favored the proposition.

"That's right," he said. "But do you know how many members voted in favor of the reorganization? Only 150 voted for it."

When told that many of the excluded members believed social lines had been drawn in sending out invitations to join the new club, Lambert said: "There are no social lines; we are forming an absolutely new club. It is just as if the Glen Echo Country Club had never existed."

As organizers of a new club we have a right to invite or exclude whom we please without giving an explanation. We have sent invitations to quite a number of men who were not members of the Glen Echo Country Club. That club went out of existence when it sold its assets to the committee of trustees.

Most of the club members "frozen out" from the new club seem to agree, however, that the Committee of Nine made its selection along social lines, one purpose being to take in members of the St. Louis Country Club who are disaffected there. In the Glen Echo Country Club, like in many clubs, there were always two factions, one trying to make the club more democratic and the other trying to make it more exclusive.

Members of the Glen Echo Protective Association met in an attorney's office yesterday to discuss the possibility of legal action to prevent the committee of nine from excluding 135 members of the old club from membership in the new one.

This association was formed several months ago by James C. Jones, an attorney, who is a dissenting member of the committee of nine.

After the meeting one of the excluded members said the Protective Association was advised that it might bring legal action to have the sale of the club's property set aside.

This action, he said, would be based on the contention that when a proposition was made last winter to reorganize the club it was approved by 274 members who turned over their stock to a committee of five, authorizing that committee to carry out a reorganization plan.

Committee Was Enlarged.
S. J. Harbaugh, one of the members left out of the new club's invitation list, said the original Committee of Five was made up of J. C. Jones, E. A. Faust, Harry Pfleger, C. D. Johnson and John C. Roberts.

"We are trying to find out how and when this committee was enlarged so as to include nine members," said Harbaugh. "So far as I can learn, this was never authorized by the club. I understand that certain persons went to J. C. Jones' house at night and induced him to put S. T. G. Smith on the committee. Smith never should have been included."

At the beginning of the walk, Sprouse had to be assisted by the guards. He gained strength as he progressed. When Sheriff Wade drew the black-marked death warrant from his pocket and asked the condemned man whether he wished it read, he answered "No," in a low, yet clear voice.

"Brace Up, and Be Game."
As he took his place on the drop, which really was a trap door in the floor of the Bridge of Sighs, Sprouse seemed for the moment about to collapse. His knees sagged slightly, and a guard put out a hand to steady him. But when Sheriff Wade said to him "brace up and be game," he straightened his shoulders and stood erect.

Straps were hastily passed about his knees and ankles. The Sheriff adjusted the noose about his neck, pulled the black cap over his face, seized a lever and gave it a sharp turn to the left. The trap door opened and the body shot downward.

After an inquest by Coroner Bopp, the body was embalmed and dressed, after which it was placed in a second-floor room of the courthouse, ordinarily used for consultation between prisoners and attorneys. Here it was viewed by a crowd which had waited outside the courthouse.

The body was in the room about an hour, pending the arrival of an undertaker.

Thaw Leaving Court, Cheered by Crowd, After Jury Found Him Sane



LEBANON MARSHAL WHO GOT DRUNK BY WIRELESS TO BE ARRESTED HIMSELF TESTED BY NAVY

Illinoisan Comes to St. Louis to Buy Shield and "Meets a Friend."

John W. Wolf, City Marshal of Lebanon, Ill., arrested himself yesterday afternoon on the charge of violating Section 215 of the Lebanon city ordinance by being drunk on the street. He conducted himself to the court of Magistrate Gerking, filed a complaint against himself, had himself arraigned, pleaded guilty and was fined \$5 and costs. He paid the fine and costs and returned to his duties.

Marshall Wolf was given a day off Wednesday to come to St. Louis and buy a new cap and shield. He called on his friend, Arthur Gregory, a man to take him around and show him some of the sights of a great city. Marshall Wolf wants it understood, however, that nobody connected with the St. Louis Police Department is responsible for what followed.

He had started for Eads Bridge, to take a car for home, when he met an old friend, who asked him to "come in and have something." They talked over old times and opened five bottles. When Wolf arrived at Eads Bridge he discovered, as he expresses it, that his feet were not "tracking."

He boarded the Lebanon car and the promptly fell asleep. At the end of the line in Lebanon a friend helped him off and sent him home in an automobile.

Yesterday Marshall Wolf heard about Citizen Wolf. He saw Arthur Gregory, conductor of the car on which Citizen Wolf rode home Wednesday evening and asked him to make a complaint against Citizen Wolf. Gregory said he could not swear Citizen Wolf was intoxicated, and refused to make a complaint.

Marshall found others who had seen Citizen Wolf sleeping on the car, but he would not charge him with intoxication. Marshall Wolf was obliged to confess that the evidence was scant, but he had a strong feeling, peculiar to the morning after, which convinced him that Citizen Wolf was guilty and ought to be punished.

So Marshall Wolf laid the heavy hand of the law on the shoulder of Citizen Wolf and told him to come along to court. There he charged Citizen Wolf with entering the city on a street car at 5 p. m. Wednesday in an intoxicated condition. The information was made out. Marshall Wolf told what he knew about the case. Citizen Wolf pleaded guilty and paid the penalty.

THAW FREED BY JUDGE; RELEASED ON \$35,000 BAIL PENDING APPEAL

Court Upholds Decision of Jury, Which Declared Slayer Sane, and Surety Company Signs His Bond.

CROWDS CHEER HIM AS HE MOTORS DOWN BROADWAY

He Is Taken to Jersey and Prepares to Go to Pittsburg—He Declares He Has No Interest in Evelyn Thaw, "Changed Individual" Now, or in Her Child

Special From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Harry K. Thaw, adjudged sane last Wednesday by a jury, was given his freedom today by Supreme Court Justice Peter A. Hendrick, who announced that he had adopted the jury's verdict.

The State immediately served notice of appeal and Justice Hendrick fixed Thaw's bail at \$35,000 to insure his presence at future proceedings. A surety company signed the bond in the Judge's chambers, and Thaw was released shortly before 10 o'clock.

Cheered by Broadway Crowds.
As soon as the bond was signed Thaw entered an automobile. He was accompanied by a detective and his secretary. The machine, followed by six more containing reporters and photographers, started downtown toward the office of Thaw's attorneys. All the way down Broadway persons on the sidewalks cheered and applauded Thaw. Traffic policemen expended much energy to prevent crowds from gathering.

The trip downtown was made shortly after 1 o'clock when lower Broadway is thronged with thousands of office workers on their way to or from their noonday meal. Thaw appeared to be much pleased with the demonstration.

Thaw proceeded to Jersey City, where he was released formally from the custody of the Sheriff. After lunch Thaw said he would motor to Philadelphia in company with the secretary. From Philadelphia he is to go by rail to Pittsburg.

Thaw said he had at first planned to remain in New York overnight and visit a theater, but the crowds that he met today made him change his mind.

In announcing his agreement with the verdict of the jury, Justice Hendrick said: "I adopt the jury's verdict."

The next matter before the Court was the motion made yesterday by John R. Stanfield, chief of Thaw's counsel, to declare vacated the commitment of Justice Dowling under which Thaw was sent to the Matteawan Asylum in 1908, after he had been acquitted, on the grounds of insanity, of the murder of Stanford White, June 30, 1906. Counsel for the State, however, immediately began an argument on appeal.

In announcing his decision, Justice Hendrick commented unfavorably on the action of attorneys who had assisted the State in preparing the case and then appeared as expert witnesses in court.

"I have reached a decision in this case," Justice Hendrick continued, "and it is based on my own mind, fortified by the action of the jury."

Thaw, sitting comfortably in his chair, with counsel on each side, showed his pleasure and anticipated the Court's decision with a broad smile.

"I want to say a word about the alienists," Justice Hendrick continued. "We have been told by one alienist that it is impossible to determine the sanity or insanity of a person without taking the word of alienists. This Court and jury cannot depend upon the word of an alienist who for years has devoted himself to a case of this kind and assisted in its preparation. That a doctor can help prepare a case and then go on the stand as an expert witness is wrong."

"I hope the Legislature of the State will find some means to correct this. Some other method should be adopted. (Cries of assent.) I declare now that it is the decision of the Court that Harry K. Thaw is sane."

Edgar Bromberger, of the group of lawyers appearing for the State, gave notice of appeal. A previous conference of counsel in the case it had been made clear that should the Court decide in Thaw's favor the commitment of Justice Dowling, under which Thaw was sent to Matteawan in 1908 after he had been acquitted, on the grounds of insanity, of the murder of Stanford White, would not be formally vacated, but would simply cease to operate.

Justice Hendrick decided that the State's notice of appeal automatically acted as a stay. John R. Stanfield, Thaw's counsel, then moved that

PARTLY CLOUDY, WITH LOCAL SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS

THE TEMPERATURES.
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Yesterday's Temperatures.
High 84 at 3:30 p. m. Low 77 at 9 a. m.

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Partly cloudy weather, probably with local showers and thunderstorms tonight or tomorrow; not much change in temperature.

Missouri—Partly cloudy weather, probably with local showers and thunderstorms tonight or tomorrow; not much change in temperature.

Illinois—Unsettled but generally fair weather tonight and tomorrow; not much change in temperature.

Stage of the river, 28.3 feet, a rise of .9

SOME HAVE THE GLEN AND OTHERS GET THE ECHO.

Systematic Advertising Pays
The novice shoots in the air, trusting to luck. The veteran advertising campaigner of St. Louis concentrates in the POST-DISPATCH, having found it safe and sure in bringing immediate and profitable results.

Yesterday (Thursday) the POST-DISPATCH cut a mighty swath, mowing down
All Four of Its Competitors
All Added Together
in volume of home merchant's advertising carried:
Post-Dispatch (alone) . . . 87 cols
Globe-Democrat, Republic, Times and Star (All of the other English newspapers) Combined . . . 81 cols.

This means it beat its entire field, with 6 columns over for good measure.
The Reason: A wide-spread, result-producing CIRCULATION
First six months, 1915:
Sunday average . . . 350,066
Daily and Sunday average . . . 204,479
First in Everything.

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BERLIN PRESS PRAISES AUSTRIAN NOTE ON ARMS

Communication Concerning
Tremendous Exports of
Munitions From United
States Declared by News-
papers to Touch Heart of
the Question.

AMERICA IN REPLY TO DEFEND RIGHTS

Washington Government
Will Cite International
Law and Recall Precedents
in Which Teutonic Nations
Have Engaged in Trade.

By Associated Press.
BERLIN, July 15.—The news items given
by the Overseas News Agency today
were the following:

"The German newspapers continue
generally to express high satisfaction
regarding the Austro-Hungarian note
to the United States in the matter of
war munitions. The note is considered
a testimony of the good will and shrewd
political judgment of the Teutonic al-
lies.

"The Vossische Zeitung hopes that
the strong neutrality argument will im-
press and convert President Wilson as
ex-Secretary of State Bryan was con-
verted before. The newspaper says that
the United States has a golden oppor-
tunity to show its readiness to ob-
serve a true neutrality in spirit, but
it is skeptical about the effect the note
will have.

"The opinion of the newspapers is gen-
eral that the note sweeps away 'side
issues,' such as the submarine war and
the sinking of the Lusitania, and goes
straight at the heart of the problem—
the huge export of war supplies to the
enemies of Austria and Germany. The
United States, which sees and has
seen in the territories of the Danube
monarchy a profitable field for Ameri-
can enterprises, will, according to the
newspapers, realize that Austria-Hun-
gary feels as much as Germany 'the
injustice of the American munition ship-
ments' and will remember this attitude
if it is not changed in her future busi-
ness relations.

"Unanswerable Logic."
The course of reasoning in the note
of Count Stephan von Burian, the Aus-
tro-Hungarian Foreign Minister, is regar-
ded by the newspapers as unanswerable
logic. Several of the newspapers ex-
press the hope that President Wilson,
with Secretary Bryan, the author of the
doctrine of the unneutrality of forbid-
ding the export of arms during the war,
out of the Cabinet, will see his way
clear to lay before Congress the legisla-
tion suggested by the Austro-Hungarian
Government.

"President Wilson," says the Lokal
Anseher, "learns from this note and
the notes from Berlin that the Ameri-
can Government has resolved to
assume all further consequences from
this standpoint. The accord between the
proclamations will show Washington
that the Government of the United
States is not in earnest and Presi-
dent Wilson cannot refuse to examine
again the entire question in the friendly
spirit made evident in Count von Bu-
rian's note."

"The Vossische Zeitung points out
that while Austria-Hungary, up to the pre-
sent has been directly affected by
the American exports of munitions to
Great Britain and France, she is now
feeling the full effects of the policy of
regular shipments of arms to Russia.
It expresses the belief that Austria's
argument has struck a new and proper
note in the discussion, namely that the
United States is legally entitled, if it
wishes to do so, to prohibit those ex-
ports without incurring reproach for il-
legality or unneutrality.

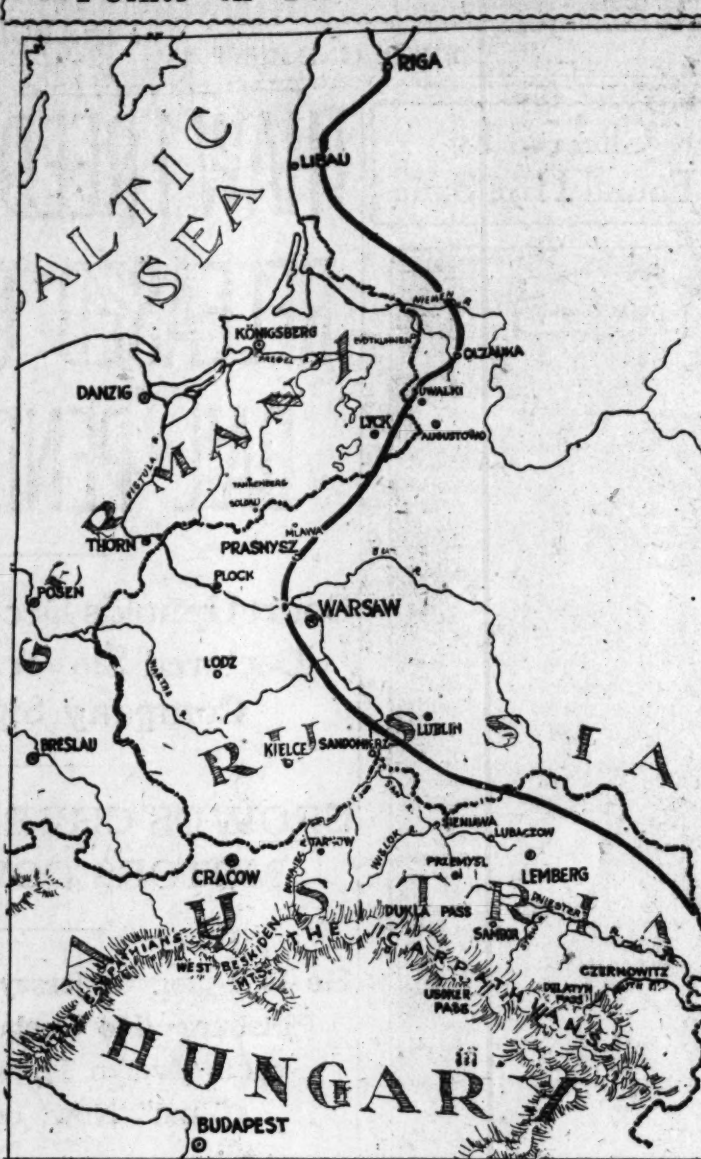
"Correct Mode of Action."
The newspaper adds that the note,
whose author, it says, evidently is well
informed on the American situation,
indicated a correct mode of ac-
tion through special legislation—"legis-
lation which in America can only origi-
nate through congressional initiative."
"The note," the Vossische Zeitung
says in conclusion, "appeals to the sen-
timents of independence and humanity
of the American people whose voice,
falsified by a wicked press, may again
be heard as soon as Congress meets."

The Tagblatt says it believes the
purpose of the note is to dispel the il-
lusion that Austria-Hungary is not af-
fected by the shipments of war sup-
plies from the United States, or does
not share fully the German ideas of the
American policy. It adds that the note
is worthy in form and straight to the
point and that it strikes the tone which
is best adapted to the transatlantic
forms of diplomacy.

"The proper way," says the Tagblatt,
"is to say to the Americans, in the lan-
guage to which they are accustomed,
simply, clearly and without circumlo-
cution, what one wants. No attempt
should be made, no matter how clearly
designed, to influence their position in
advance, but it should be left to them
to take their own steps on the subject
matter of the communication. This is
the quickest way to an agreement."

The Tagblatt Rundschau, in a rather
caustic article, praises the clearness
and frankness of the note, which it says
is the diplomatic dispute back to a

Russo-German Battle Line, Showing Points in New Teutonic Drive



GEN. VON HINDENBURG is leading the German hosts in a terrific
new drive to the north of Warsaw, probably with the intention
of cutting behind the city. Von Mackensen's attempt from the
south to flank it having failed. The whole German line is moving
forward between Warsaw and Riga and the latest considerable town to
fall into the German hands is Praszyn. Meanwhile, the German
operations south of Warsaw are confined to an effort to take Lublin,
a great railway center, but on this line clear to the boundaries of
Bukovina Von Mackensen seems to have been checked by the Russians.

U. S. IN REPLY TO DEFEND RIGHT TO EXPORT MUNITIONS

International Law Will Be Cited
to Austria and Teutonic
Precedents Recalled.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—The United
States probably will send within an
hour a note to Austria-Hungary, this idea
recently received from the Austro-Hun-
garian Government, which contended
that extensive shipments of war sup-
plies from this country to the allies
were "not in consonance with the defini-
tion of neutrality."
Unofficially word comes that Turkey
will follow Germany and Austria in
making representations on this subject,
and should a note from the Ottoman
Government arrive, officials would de-
lay the sending of their answer so as
simultaneously to inform the German al-
lies of the unalterable view of the
United States on arms shipments.

While Germany has admitted in diplo-
matic correspondence with the United
States the legal right of individuals in a
neutral country to sell munitions to bel-
ligerents, some emphasis was placed on
the supernatural growth of American
industries for the manufacture of arms
and explosives. In the Austrian note,
extracts of which have appeared in
dispatches from Amsterdam, this idea is
developed almost entirely to the ex-
clusion of the legal question involved.
It points out that the American Govern-
ment would be entitled to prohibit the
export of war materials if the trade in
contraband "takes the form of dimen-
sions whereby the neutrality of the
country will be endangered."

Will Recall Precedents.
Details of the American answer have
not been divulged, but it is understood
that the United States will not only cite
its rights under international law, but
will recall precedents in previous wars
in which Germany and Austria have
been interested where importations of
arms were carried on in extensive pro-
portions.

The State Department has not made
public the text of the Austrian note and
will not do so until the reply is ready.
The note already has been published
abroad, however, the American Govern-
ment giving the consent on request from
the Vienna Foreign Office.
The significance of concerted action by
Austria, Germany and Turkey causes
much comment in official and diplomatic
quarters, but it was recalled that Great
Britain in her controversies with the
United States over contraband had ob-
tained the assent of France and other
allies to her announced principles of
procedure.

Germany repeatedly has laid emphasis
on the trade in arms between the United
States and the allies. In the German
note of Feb. 16, replying to representa-
tions from the American Government
on the subject of the then newly pro-
claimed war zone, the legal right of
citizens of the United States to trade in
arms was conceded, but it was argued
that it was equally right of neutrals to

FRENCH RETAKE HILL RECENTLY LOST IN ARGONNE

Position in Forest Had Been
Stormed by the Crown
Prince's Troops.

RUSSIANS HARD PRESSED

Germans Advance in Courland
Against Cavalry While Aus-
trians Cross Dniester.

By Associated Press.
PARIS, July 15.—Hill No. 285, in the
Forest of the Argonne, which was
stormed by the Germans, early this
week, has been recaptured by the
French forces, according to the official
statement given out this afternoon
by the War Department.

The official statement says:
"North of Arras the enemy attempt-
ed to rally from his trench south of
the Chateau de Carlic and was im-
mediately checked by our fire."
"In the Argonne our curtains of fire
prevented every tentative attack of the
enemy."

"In Lorraine the Germans attacked
on a front extending three kilometers
(nearly two miles) the positions which
they had lost near Leintrey. They at
the same time bombarded all our line
from the Forest of Champenoux as far
as the Vesouze River, delivering some
attacks partly with infantry. They
were everywhere repulsed. Near Lein-
tre, after having gained a foothold in
an element of the trenches, they were
immediately ejected by a counter at-
tack."

"Southeast of the Forest of Parroy,
assaulting troops which had reached
our wire entanglements were dispersed
by our fire and left prisoners in our
hands. The losses of the enemy ap-
peared considerable."

Germans Advance in Courland While Austrians Cross Dniester.

LONDON, July 15.—Reinforcements
have been sent to the German troops
in the Russian provinces of Courland
and Kovno, with the result that vigor-
ous military operations have been re-
sumed in that section. The Russians
are offering a stubborn resistance and
are holding strategic positions, accord-
ing to an official statement issued yes-
terday at the headquarters of the gen-
eral staff in Petrograd and telegraphed
here. The communication says:

"The enemy having received rein-
forcements in the region of Riga and
Shvili, began on the 14th an advance
from Hapzel on Goldingen and the
sector Shvili-Popellary. Our caval-
ry and advance guards are holding the
enemy at the passages of the Windau
and Venta Rivers and at other favor-
able positions."

"On the right bank of the Pissa and
on both banks of the Skwa the enemy
captured several trenches but did not
gain any advantage because of heavy
losses suffered in the fighting Wednes-
day. Between the Orzo and the Wkra
fronts south of Praszyn, several en-
emy attacks were repulsed on Wednes-
day."

"Between the Vistula and the Bug on
the 14th, the enemy made numerous
separate attacks, all of which were re-
pulsed by our fire."

GERMANS CROSS WINDAU RIVER

BERLIN, via London, July 15.—The
German forces have crossed the Win-
dau river in the north of Riga, in
Courland, according to the official
statement from army headquarters to-
day.

"The statement says:
"During one of the enemy's attacks in
the neighborhood of Souchez we lost a
trench in the section south of a cemetery
on July 15. Repeated attempts by the
French to take away from us the posi-
tions we had captured in close touch
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IRISH TROOPS AID IN PUSHING BACK THE TURKS

Allies Advance Their Lines 400
Yards in All Day Battle of
Great Severity.

STRONG BARRIERS PIERCED

Ottoman Troops Offer Desper-
ate Resistance—French Guns
Give Splendid Support.

LONDON, July 15.—A further advance
by the allies in the Dardanelles is re-
ported by the Athens correspondent of
the Express. The British are said to
have dislodged the Turks from four
lines of trenches near Derka Tepe, while
the French have gained an important
success in the Kithia region.

An official British Press Bureau an-
nouncement concerning fighting at the
Dardanelles says:
"Gen. Sir Ian Hamilton, commander
of the allied forces at the Dardanelles,
reports that on July 12 the forces under
him made an attack at daybreak, with
their right and center. After heavy
fighting, lasting all day, the troops en-
sued, including an Irish corps, suc-
ceeded in carrying two strongly forti-
fied lines of Turkish trenches, the
ground covered by the advance vary-
ing in depth from 200 to 400 yards. The
right section of the enemy's lines then
was attacked. The first line of trenches
was easily carried, a preliminary bom-
bardment having been successful. Our
troops took the second line of trenches,
capturing 30 prisoners, and by night-
fall the line was consolidated some 400
yards in advance of our original posi-
tion."

"In this part of the field, on the night
of July 12-13, two counter attacks were
vital to the safety of life, a further
advance was made, however, the
attack was organized and a brigade of
the Royal Naval Division, supported by
French artillery, was sent forward, and,
with the support of 778 retook the
trenches. In the meantime, the French
had pushed their extreme right down
to the mouth of the River Kavres Dere,
where it runs into the sea. This posi-
tion was maintained without difficulty.
During the night of July 13-14 the enemy
counter attacked, but without success."

"Thus in these successful operations
the whole of the original objective of
the attack was attained except on one
small portion of about 300 yards, which
still remains in the hands of the Turks."
"Four hundred and twenty prisoners
were captured, of whom 200 were taken
by the French in the first attack."

Reports of "Tentative Peace Propo-
sals" by Germany.
LONDON, July 15.—The Financial News
today displays with great prominence
reports from quarters in close touch
with German sources of information, that
Germany is making "tentative peace
proposals" through the United
States.

Italians Occupy Summit of Pass 6045
ROME, July 15.—An official statement
issued last night at the headquarters of
the general staff says:
"A detachment of infantry succeeded
in ascending the slope of a ravine
heretofore considered inaccessible and
occupied by a surprise attack the sum-
mit of Falzarego Pass (6045 feet high).
On the night of Tuesday and Wednes-
day this detachment was counter at-
tacked by the enemy who was repulsed,
sustaining serious losses."

Austrians Cross Dniester on Border
of Bessarabia.
BERLIN, via London, July 15.—Dis-
patches received here from Austrian
headquarters say that after a heavy
bombardment of the Russian position
the Austrians have crossed the Dniester
River at Uchokupin in the Russian
border, where the Austrian crown lands
of Galicia and Bukovina and the Rus-
sian province of Bessarabia meet.

Allies Occupy Important Town in
Central Kamerun.
LONDON, July 15.—A statement given
out today by the British Official Press
Bureau says: "A telegram from the
Government of Nigeria reports that on
June 29 the entire all force occu-
pled Nkoundere, an important town in
Central Kamerun. Our losses were two
rank and file killed and eight wounded."

The Kamerun is a German colony on
the west coast of Africa, north of the
French Congo.

The 210 "Desirables" Who Are Taken Into New Glen Echo Club

ABBOT, A. L.
ADAMS, S. C.
ADAMS, H. M.
ANDRE, C. A.
BAILLY, HOWARD.
BALLARD, J. Q.
BARRETT, J. V. &
BARROWS, JOHN C.
BATTLE, C. A.
BELL, JAMES W.
BEMIS, J. W.
BEMIS, W. N.
BLOCHOFF, GUR. JR.
BLOCHOFF, WELLS H.
BLOSSOM, E. D.
BONSACK, F. C.
BORDLEY, D. C.
BORDLEY, T. B.
BRANCH, LAWRENCE O.
BRINSMAD, HOBART.
BRITTON, F. H.
BROCK, J. E.
BROWN, C. S.
BUDE, C. A.
BUDE, O. E.
BULLOCK, GEO. B.
BULLOCK, R. B.
BURNS, ROBERT A.
BUSCH, ADOLPHUS, III.
BYRNE, W. M.
CALFEE, J. S.
CAMPBELL, E. F.
CARLETON, FRED.
CARLETON, J. L.
CARLETON, MURRAY.
CARTER, THOMAS W. JR.
CLARK, U. L.
COMPTON, W. R.
CONANT, T. F.
COOK, D. G.
COOKE, HAMILTON.
CORNET, H. L.
COWEN, W. B.
CREEL, WYLLIE.
CULVER, E. B.
CURRY, C. E. MRS.
CURRY, C. J.
CURLEE, J. R.
CULLEE, S. H.
DANFORTH, W. H.
DENNIS, LOUIS E.
DORSETT, E. LEE.
DORSETT, W. B. DR.
DRUMMOND, JAMES.
DULANY, W. H. JR.
DUNCAN, J. H. DR.
DURIE, N. C.
EDWARDS, ALBERT N.
EDWARDS, B. F.
EDWARDS, G. L.
EHLERMAN, CHARLES.
EVANS, H. H.
FARRELL, H. E.
FAUST, E. A.
FERGUSON, W. T.
FISCHER, M. C. M.
FOSTER, R. M.
FRISTOE, J. W.
FUNSTEN, W. F.
GARRISON, O. L.
GARVIN, W. E.
GOODRICH, F. A.
GORDON, H. E.
GOULF, EDWARD M.
GRANT, J. M.
GREENSFELDER, J. B.
GREGG, C. D.
HAGAR, W. G.
HALL, C. H.
HALLIDAY, H. E.
HAMILTON, C. D.
HARVEY, J. C.
HEDGES, R. L.
HENDERSON, F. L.
HENNING, W. G.
HIGBEE, DR. E. H.
HILDEBRANDT, E. A.
HOLMAN, C. A.
HOMER, C. A.
HOWARD, CLARENCE H.
HOWARD, G. E.
OWES, G. C.
HOYT, J. G.
HUTCHERSON, J. A.
JEFFRIES, SAM E.
JENKINS, W. B.
JENNINGS, EDGAR M.
JOHNSON, B. V. H.
JOHNSON, C. D.
JOHNSTON, J. W.
JOHNSTON, ROBERT JR.
JONES, GEORGE P.

JONES, J. C.
JONES, PAUL.
JORDAN, MORTAN.
KAISER, F. H.
KAISER, M. P.
KELLEY, TAYLOR D.
KOBUSCH, GEORGE.
KOBUSCH, WALTER.
LADD, CHAUNCEY.
LAKE, F. C.
LAKE, F. C. JR.
LAMBERT, A. R.
LAMBERT, MARION.
LAMBERT, MARTIN JR.
LANE, CHARLES E.
LANG, R. S.
LESCHEN, HENRY.
LESCHEN, JOHN A.
LIGHTNER, C. R.
LINCOLN, J. C.
LUEHRMANN, GEORGE E.
LUND, ROBERT L.
MCDONALD, W. L.
MCKINNEY, JOHN E.
McLAUGHLIN, J. C.
McLEOD, M. W.
MANUEL, C. R.
MARTIN, CHARLES L.
MATTHEWS, GEORGE T.
MELSON, E. P.
MILLER, A. J.
MILLER, E. T.
MAUL, PAUL.
MOON, J. C.
MORRIS, C. C.
MORRISMAN, H. A.
NEILSON, H. W.
NEILSON, C. V.
NEWBERRY, P. E.
NEWHARD, G. F.
NICOLAUS, HENRY.
NIEDERLENDER, CARL A.
NIXON, W. C.
NOLKER, W. H.
NULSEN, F. E.
ONNELL, J. F.
OVERSTREET, E. E.
PARKER, H. L.
PARTRIDGE, A. S.
PAYNE, SAMUEL G.
PFLAGER, H. M.
PENGERT, S. S.
PORTER, DAY J.
PRETORIUS, E. L.
PRIEST, GEORGE T.
PRUFROCK, HARRY.
RAND, FRANK C.
RA NOLPI, TOM.
RATCLIFF, T. G.
REESE, CARLOS JR.
RIORDAN, JAMES A.
RITCHIE, JOHN E.
ROBERTS, JOHN C.
RUMSEY, HORACE S.
RUMSEY, L. M.
SAUER, A. N.
SCARITT, C. H.
SCHLAFLY, AUGUST.
SCHOLLMAYER, G. H.
SIMPSON, GROVER B.
SIMPSON, L. N.
SINGLETON, M. E.
SIPLE, W. C.
SLOAN, J. M.
SLOAN, W. M.
SMITH, GEORGE K.
SMITH, H. T. T.
SMITH, E. G. G.
SOUTHWARD, A. W.
STANARD, W. K.
STEWART, SEYMOUR.
SURDAN, L. J.
SWANSON, E. D.
TUNE, LEWIS T.
UDELL, C. E.
VESPER, F. W. A.
WAGNER, THOMAS H.
WALL, C. W.
WALL, N. R.
WARMACK, R. N.
WHEELER, H. S.
WILLIAM, J. H.
WILSON, GEORGE W.
WITTE, F. A.
WITTE, OTTO H.
WITTE, OTTO W.
WOLFE, H. W.
WOOD, B. T.
WOOD, HARRY C.
WOODWARD, L. B.
WRIGHT, JOSEPH A.
YANTIS, W.
BITTING, W. C. REV.
WOODROW, S. H. REV.

SUBMARINE U51 REPORTED SUNK IN BLACK SEA

Bulgarian Town Hears Russian
Warships Destroyed Famous
German Raider.

By Associated Press.
LONDON, July 15.—The German sub-
marine U51 has been sunk in the Black
Sea by Russian warships, according to
information received from Yarna, a
Bulgarian port on the Black Sea, by the
Athens correspondent of the Exchange
Telegraph Co.

The submarine U51 gained fame by
eluding the British blockade and pass-
ing through the strait of Gibraltar. It
left Wilhelmshaven, the great German
base, to operate against the allies' fleet
in the Dardanelles, and was supposed
to have been successful in its mission.
The U51 has been credited with sinking
several vessels belonging to the allies,
including the British battleship Ma-
jestic. The British blockading fleet off
Gibraltar was reported to have been
warned of the approach of the U51,
but failed to detect the underwater
craft, which went from Gibraltar to the
Dardanelles. Later the U51 passed
through the Straits of Marmora and
proceeded to the commander at Con-
stantinople.

Capt. Otto Hering, in an interview at
Constantinople, which was printed in
the Post-Dispatch June 15, said the U51
left Wilhelmshaven April 25 and arrived
at the Dardanelles one month later,
having been fired on by destroyers sev-
eral times on the way. He told of hav-
ing torpedoed the British battleship
Triumph on the morning of May 23 and
of destroying the Ma-je-lic after hiding
two days and a half.

CANADIAN REGIMENT OF 1100 CUT TO 37 AND THEY ARE PRISONERS

Fifth Royal Victoria Wiped Out in
the Battle at Ypres—Four Officers
and 33 Privates in Germany.

GOETTINGEN, Germany, July 15.—
Late in February the Fifth Royal, one
of the crack Canadian regiments, 1100
strong, left Montreal, en route for En-
gland and the great European war.
Less than four months later, after
weeks in the trenches at Ypres, only
37 of these 1100 men were known to re-
main alive and they are prisoners in
the military camp here.

Overpowered by the gases that en-
veloped their positions; deserted by en-
cumbered troops supposed to come to their
aid, the Canadians were left to the de-
adly German fire, the little band of four
noncommissioned officers and 33 privates
was easy prey.

Many of them have as yet not been
able to establish communication with
their families in Canada and are not
sure whether mothers, wives and sis-
ters know that they escaped death.
The men portray the fight at Ypres as
one of indescribable horror.

DENVER EDITOR FINED \$250

Court Holds That Promis- to Protect
News Source Is Not Binding.
DENVER, Colo., July 15.—A pledge,
however solemn, to keep a secret,
which the law requires to be revealed,
is not binding legally or morally, ac-
cording to a ruling of Judge John A.
Perry in the District Court here.

He fined Arthur MacLennan, manag-
ing editor of the Denver Times, \$250
and costs for contempt of court in re-
fusing to tell a recent county grand
jury where he learned certain alleged
facts regarding the now famous "Pac-
age of money" incident in last winter's
session of the Colorado General Assem-
bly.

CLARK OUT FOR SUFFRAGE

SAN FRANCISCO, July 15.—Speaker
Champ Clark faced a band of suffra-
gists in a hotel lobby here and pledged
allegiance to their general cause. "I
expect to see Missouri added to the
suffrage states soon and I am going to
help," he said.

The speaker promised to write as to
whether he would support what is
known as the Susan B. Anthony amend-
ment for equal suffrage.

A hot weather luncheon— Bowl of "half-and-half" —half cream, half milk— a pinch of salt and Uneda Biscuit. Can you think of anything better on a hot day? So cooling, so delightful, so satisfying.

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BIG POST-DISPATCH With its new ROTOGRAVURES and many
other features

BREWERY'S SUIT REVEALS STRANGE SALOON TANGLE

Plumber for Anheuser-Busch Co.
Had License, Two Different
Men Operated Place.

MYSTERY IN \$161.80 CHECK

William Laubenthal Says He
Gave It to Brewing Concern
for Use of License.

The filing by the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association in Justice William's court of a suit for \$161.80 and possession of the premises at 304 Meramec street, in which judgment by default was obtained yesterday, reveals a peculiar connection between the brewery and the conduct of the saloon, which has, in the last six months, been operated by two different men under the license of a third.

Investigation by a Post-Dispatch reporter shows that the license for the place was issued to Jacob Ruedi of 3432 A. Oregon avenue, who has a plumbing shop at 2117 South Seventh street, and does plumbing work for the brewing company. The law prohibits the issuance of a saloon license for a saloon in which a brewery has a direct or indirect interest and prohibits a person conducting a saloon in the name of another and the transfer of a saloon license from one person to another.

Excise Commissioner Rumsey, in hearings on remonstrances against the issuance of certain saloon licenses, has blocked attempts to show any connection between breweries and saloonkeepers in the matter of obtaining licenses. He obstructed this line of inquiry particularly in cases where it was shown by the Post-Dispatch that tax records had been altered and forgeries committed in aid of applicants for saloon licenses.

Laubenthal Says He Paid Brewery \$161.80.
The Anheuser-Busch suit was filed against William Laubenthal, who has conducted the saloon since April 13 under the license issued to Ruedi and has occupied the flat above it. He purchased the business from Frank Lindemann, who had conducted it since January, ostensibly as the manager for Ruedi. Laubenthal says he paid the brewery \$161.80, which he understood was for the unused portion of the license. Oliver T. Remmers, attorney for the brewing company, denies that this amount or any amount was received from Laubenthal for the license.

The property at 304 Meramec street is held by the brewing company under a long lease. The brewery owns the fixtures. Prior to last January it had been vacant a long time. On Jan. 25 a license was issued in the name of Jacob Ruedi and a saloon was opened by Lindemann. Although it was pretended that he was acting only as manager for Ruedi, Lindemann paid for the license, Ruedi says, and bought the stock of liquors and cigars and it was in Lindemann's name that an account was opened with the Anheuser-Busch brewery. Ruedi says he put a little money into it, but got it back and after a couple of weeks did not pay any more attention to the place.

How Laubenthal Bought the Place.
About April 1 Laubenthal was approached by F. W. Dorst, a beer salesman for the Anheuser-Busch brewery, with a suggestion that he go into the saloon business. A little later a deal for the purchase by him of the Lindemann saloon was arranged and on April 13, at the city department of the brewery, the papers were prepared, an acknowledgment taken by a brewery notary and Laubenthal purchased the business from Lindemann.

Laubenthal's check book shows that on April 13 he gave Lindemann a check for \$20.10 and the deal and that on April 13 he gave the brewing company a check for \$161.80, and another for \$28.20, and that he gave Lindemann a check for \$68.80.

His understanding, Laubenthal says, was that the money paid to the brewery was for the unused portion of the Ruedi license under which Lindemann had been operating and that the \$68.80 paid to Lindemann was for the stock in the saloon and the electric light and gas fixtures.

The license was issued for the six months which began Jan. 26. The cost of a city license is \$15 for each six months. Lindemann had the place under the license until April 13. Laubenthal took it over on April 13. The license then had 15 weeks to run. The value of the unused portion would be a little less than \$110. Laubenthal says he was told that the amount he paid the brewery was for the license and something that Lindemann owed the brewery.

New Attorney Remmers Explains.
The reporter who went to the brewery offices yesterday to make inquiries about the transaction was referred by Adolphus Busch III, one of the vice presidents, to Attorney Remmers. The attorney was asked to show, from the company's books, what the check for \$161.80 made out to the company on April 13 by Laubenthal for the purchase of the place and the stock in the saloon and what the books showed that Lindemann owed the company \$161.80 on open account for beer when the business was sold by him to Laubenthal, and that the company's claim for this amount was satisfied in cash by Lindemann. Laubenthal says he handed the check for \$161.80 to Ziegler, the credit man of the brewery's city department.

Laubenthal's understanding with the brewery was that he was to pay \$2.50 a barrel C. O. D. for beer, and was to be entitled to a rebate of \$1 a barrel, which the brewery would keep for him, to be applied to the purchase of his renewal license.

Attorney Remmers was asked about that. He said it was the practice of the brewing company to help the saloonkeepers in this way, save their money, so that they would be able to renew their licenses.

Types of the Posters Plastered All Over England Urging Men to Join Kitchener's New Army

ANSWER THE CALL RIGHT QUICKLY

IF THE CAP FITS YOU

WHY AREN'T YOU

JOIN THE ARMY TO-DAY.

IN KHAKI? YOU'LL BE WANTED. ENLIST AT ONCE.

Boys! Come along You're wanted

EVERYWHERE the men of England turn they see posters of all sizes and descriptions urging them to join the new army Lord Kitchener is raising to fight the Germans. Great ingenuity is displayed in wording these appeals and the art work on many of them is past criticism. Some are designed to thrill the

reader to the point of emulation; others to shame him because he has not already rushed to his country's defense. The reports indicate the poster campaign has been highly successful and that it has been one of the strongest factors in piling up enlistments.

U. S. to Continue Discussion of the Nebraskan Case

Continued From Page One.

of the Nebraska proves conclusively that a merchantman must be visited in order to determine its nationality. This was done recently in the case of the American bark Normandy, which was halted by a German submarine and allowed to proceed.

The text of the German memorandum on the case of the Nebraskan was the subject of much comment in official quarters. It bore out conclusions reached by Lieut. John H. Towers, naval attaché of the American embassy in London, who forwarded fragments of metal found in the Nebraskan when she arrived at Liverpool, to the Navy Department with his expression of opinion that the vessel was torpedoed and not mined.

In the case of the Gulfight, too, the naval constructors at the American embassy at London were able to establish that the vessel was torpedoed.

Captain Denies Submarine Used American Ship Shield.
LONDON, July 16.—Capt. Behul of the American ship Normandy, interviewed by a Post-Dispatch correspondent at Liverpool, denied the statement that a German submarine sailed behind the Normandy before attacking the Leo, a Russian vessel.

"A submarine appeared on the leeward side of the Normandy," he said, "and signaled that I should go aboard with my papers, which were examined by the submarine commander, who said that as the Normandy must have been chartered before the declaration of Germany's submarine blockade, he would let us go on. I then returned aboard my vessel and the submarine submerged until some hours later, when she appeared to windward and discharged torpedoes at a vessel which I believe was the Miran Lightbody. The submarine then came around and 12 minutes later fired a torpedo into the Russian vessel Leo. Then the submarine steamed away. We rescued part of

of the crew of the Russian ship. Any story that the submarine sheltered behind the Normandy is untrue."
Capt. Behul also reported to this effect to United States Consul Washington at Liverpool.
Two members of the crew of the Leo, an engineer named Clark and a sailor named Brown, stated that Capt. Behul came aboard the Leo and demanded her papers for the submarine Captain, but Behul denies this. In addition to reporting Capt. Behul's denial, Consul Washington reported to Ambassador Page that he had seen and questioned three American survivors of the Leo, who stated that there were no other Americans aboard.
Eleven of 25 persons aboard the Leo were drowned. Among the saved were three Americans—Walter Emery, a seaman; Harry Whitney, steward, and Harry Clark, a fireman.

President Arranges to Return to Washington Next Week.
CORNISH, N. H., July 16.—Arrangements were completed today for President Wilson's return to Washington early next week. Members of his family will remain here and the President hopes to join them again later if public business permits. After an early round of golf the President retired to his study prepared to spend several hours working on official business from Washington.

LONDON, July 16.—The correspondent at Copenhagen of the Exchange Telegraph Co. quotes the Vorwaerts as announcing: "Rumania has emphatically refused to comply with Germany's demands to allow weapons and ammunition to traverse Rumania for Turkey."

GOING TO PRISON UNGUARDED
Man Convicted of Swindling in New York Leaves for Atlanta Today.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Unaccompanied by guard, David Essacson, convicted of swindling, leaves here today to serve a sentence of a year and a day in the Federal Penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga. The United States Marshal trusts Essacson to appear at the penitentiary on time, chiefly because he is 69 years old, in feeble health and because his bail bond does not expire until he delivers himself to the Warden. Essacson was head of the Kalos Manufacturing Co. and is said to have derived about \$200,000 from the sale of outfits for making medallions.

Mother of Doctors Mayo Dies at 80.
CHESTER, Minn., July 16.—Mrs. W. W. Mayo, 80 years old, mother of Drs. W. J. and C. H. Mayo, died at the home of her daughter here yesterday.

EDISON IMPRESSED BY NEW NAVY PLAN, SECRETARY SAYS

Inventor Gives Daniels His Ideas
About Proposed Bureau
of Investigation.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—Secretary Daniels returned today from his conference with Thomas A. Edison who will head the new naval advisory board. The Secretary said the general plans for the new Bureau of Investigation in the department and the civilian board were talked over but the personnel of the board was not discussed.

"Mr. Edison thought," said the Secretary, "that the plan offered possibilities of getting the foremost engineers of the country to aid us. He is impressed with the idea that methods of warfare are undergoing radical changes. It is his idea that the board should be purely advisory and that navy officers skilled by practice in their work should continue development of ideas, getting the board's advice where it could aid them."

"Mr. Edison thought that to serve on this board would be regarded as a crowning honor for an American engineer; the soul of decoration given by foreign Governments for scientific achievement."

Secretary Daniels believed there would be little difficulty getting appropriations from Congress for the work. Several senators and representatives, he said, already had approved the plan.

"MOBILIZE GENIUS," SECRETARY'S IDEA

NEW YORK, July 16.—The first conference between Secretary of the Navy Daniels and Thomas A. Edison, over the new navy board of invention and development, was held last night in Edison's home in Llewellyn Park, N. J.

In the course of the talk, the inventor gave the Secretary his direct promise to serve upon the board. It had been feared that Edison might feel too great for him.

For two hours the Secretary and the inventor talked over plans concerning the personnel and the prospective work of the organization of great brains which is to develop America's naval efficiency. Both were enthusiastic, apparently, over the prospects.

Before consultation began Secretary Daniels gave an interview to a Post-Dispatch reporter in which he made some highly hopeful predictions as to the benefit to the nation of the new board. Edison was content to smile and nod his head toward the Secretary with the remark: "It's his idea."

Wright and Ford to Be Included.
The personnel of the board until after I have consulted further in Washington

on the question," the Secretary said, after the conference ended. "So far I have asked only Mr. Edison to become a member." But further remarks by the Secretary made it apparent that Orville Wright and Henry Ford will be associated with Edison.

"My purpose," the Secretary said, "is to have the board comprise members so well known, both nationally and internationally, that no one will point to any member and ask 'Who is he?' They say we have millions of men and minds of money. But we need more than that. We need machinery and skill. What we want to accomplish by this advisory board is a mobilization of brains, a mobilization of genius."

"I believe in preparedness for war, but I also believe in scientific preparedness. I want to get together the men who have devoted their lives to science, and to use their genius and skill and knowledge for the benefit of the country. I want to help these men to develop their ideas for inventions that will be of service to the country in time of war."

"My idea is to have a board of but a few men. I have selected so far only Mr. Edison, and I want his assistance in choosing the others. I want also his suggestion for the development of the board's plans. But while the board's members will be few, they will be constantly in touch with other scientists not so well known, who spend their time in their laboratories."

"I believe that when the board has been selected and has got down to work we will soon be in a state of defense, such as no other nation has ever seen."

How Simon Lake Was Saved.
The Secretary referred to the fact that when he went into office he found that Simon Lake, of Bridgeport, Conn., one of the two inventors of submarines in the United States, was behind in his patents and was in danger of not being able to fulfill Government contracts for submarines.

"I went to Lake's bankers," continued the Secretary, "and got them to give him further accommodation so he could go on with the work. If I had let Lake go under, we would have had only one submarine to rely on for the future."

"Because I have insisted that men in the navy have intelligence and skill I have been called a faddist," said the Secretary, "but the time is coming when the people will realize that we need experienced, skilled mechanics in the navy, men with brains, specialists in machinery and electricity. Instead of having a thousand laundry men we need a thousand skilled mechanics."

PLAN TO TRAP FUGITIVES IN MINE

Kansas Cellery to Be Shut Down to Catch Escaped Convicts.
LEAVENWORTH, Kan., July 16.—The State penitentiary coal mine will be shut down today for the purpose of capturing two fugitive convicts, Frank Lewis and Mose McCarthy, who are believed to have been hiding in the mine since last Monday.

It is believed that the two men, if they are in the mine, will be forced by hunger to give themselves up or make a desperate effort to escape.

Woman Fires Pistol from Window.
Mrs. Beatrice Winter of 4336 Aurore avenue thought she heard a burglar in her home at 3 o'clock this morning, and fired three shots from a window to attract policemen. The house was searched without result.

ECCLES WAS THE FATHER OF GEDDES BOY, JURY DECIDES

Verdict Found for Youth Who
Sued for Share of Utah Man's
\$6,000,000 Estate.

OGDEN, Utah, July 16.—The jury of eight men in the case of Albert Geddes, 18 years old, suing for an interest in the \$6,000,000 estate of David Eccles, Utah millionaire sugar manufacturer, on the ground that he is a son of Eccles, decided today that Eccles was the boy's father. The case went to the jury at 9 p. m. yesterday.

David Eccles developed the beet sugar industry of the intermountain states, the lumber business of Eastern Oregon, steam and electric railroads and other enterprises of the West.

The suit was to obtain for Margaret Geddes' son one thirty-third of his estate.

Six of the jurors were Mormons and two non-Mormons. Under the Utah law, it is possible for six jurors to return a verdict either for the plaintiff or the defense in civil cases.

Attorney C. A. Boyd, closing the argument for the defense yesterday, said the case in a measure involved questions of good citizenship and religious toleration and he impressed on the jurors that their decision might have a far-reaching political effect. He attributed the friendship of David Eccles and the mother of Albert Geddes to their common Scotch origin, to the fact that the woman was the widow of a former employee, and to their devotion to the same religion.

PRODUCES GROCER'S BILLS TO SHOW THAT HUSBAND DRANK

Wife Tells Court He Beat Her, Broke
Furniture and Poisoned Chickens
When Intoxicated.

When Mrs. Frances Stachel of 2381 Thrush avenue took the stand in police court this morning against her husband, Joseph, whom she charged with disturbing the peace, she handed Judge Sanders a bunch of grocery bills, covering the latter half of 1914, which showed that beer or whiskey was delivered by the grocer at the Stachel home every day. She offered the grocery bills as confirmation of her statement that her husband was drunk every day in the week and all day Saturday and Sunday.

While drunk, she said, he broke the furniture, threw victrols into the yard, struck and cursed her and poisoned the chickens. She declared that he was making a drunkard of their 10-year-old son, William, by encouraging him to drink.

Stachel said the beer and whiskey were ordered without his knowledge, by other members of the family and that the bills were sent to him. Judge Sanders continued the case to Aug. 15 and will have a probation officer find out who has been drinking all the beer and whiskey at the Stachel home.

MISSOURIAN WITH BRITISH ARMY KILLED IN FRANCE

Word of Death of Tracey Richardson, Soldier of Fortune,
Is Received.

CARTHAGE, Mo., July 16.—Tracey Richardson of Lamar, has been killed in the British army, according to word received by his mother, Mrs. A. R. Richardson.

Three months ago Richardson, who was a machine gun man with the Princess Patricia Canadian light infantry regiment, was wounded by a bursting shell. He had just recovered from those wounds and returned to the battle line when he met his death.

Young Richardson, as a soldier of fortune, had served in Honduras, Mexico and Nicaragua. He was seriously wounded at the Battle of Jimenez, Mexico, in 1912, but saved the day for Orozco's army, despite his wounds. He was 24 years old.

GERMAN OFFICIALS ARREST MAN WITH AMERICAN PASSPORT

Citizenship of Copper Dealer Doubtful,
Inquiry Is Being Made Regarding
Validity of His Papers.

BERLIN, July 16.—George Speets, an American, and understood to represent American copper interests, was arrested here on Tuesday and is held at police headquarters on charges that have not been divulged.

Speets, who has an American passport and who maintained an office for general brokerage business, had been under police surveillance for several months. Some doubt exists as to Speets' citizenship and Ambassador Gerard only yesterday, while still ignorant of Speets' arrest, had started an investigation regarding the manner in which Speets had obtained an American passport.

BRIDGEPORT STRIKE PROBABLE

President of Machinists' Union Says
He Will Call Men Out Tonight.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., July 16.—Prospects for averting the threatened strike of machinists at the plant of the Remington Arms Co. as a result of union differences and possibly of machinists throughout the city apparently grew less today with the announcement from J. J. Keppeler, international vice-president of the machinists, that a strike order would be issued tonight calling out the machinists at the arms company's plant and in the city.

Keppeler returned to Bridgeport today after a conference last night at New York at which eight international labor heads, President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor and Daniel J. O'Keefe, representing Secretary of Labor Wilson, were present. It was not stated just what occurred at that conference.

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MAN DROWNS SELF AFTER HE SMOKES A LAST CIGARETTE

Hesitates for Final Puff Before
Jumping From City Boat Into
the Mississippi.

A man about 45 years old, smoking a cigarette, walked onto one of the city dumpboats moored at Florida street in the Mississippi river at 9 o'clock this morning, removed his coat, took a final puff at his cigarette, tossed it into the river and then plunged into the water.

John Walsh, 40 years old, of 801 Chouteau avenue, who was on the dumpboat, jumped after the man and swam a block downstream, trying to reach him. The man bobbed up and down for a time and then disappeared.

In the boat was found a memorandum book with "John J. Kowalski, 955 Cass avenue," written in it. The police found John Kowalski, 32 years old, was his, and that the coat must have been the property of his father, Tony.

The boy said that before leaving home his father kissed him good-by and said he never would return. Neighbors said that Kowalski this morning spoke of going to another world. He had been out of work some time, they said. His wife, Rosa, works in a bag factory.

SEVEN PERSONS BITTEN BY DOGS

Seven persons were bitten by dogs yesterday, bringing the total number of victims since May 22 up to 268.

A policeman shot and killed a dog belonging to John Forsythe, of 155 Convent street, after it had bitten Mrs. Catherine Hearty, 48 years old, of 129 Convent street, and her granddaughter, Catherine Hearty, 5 years old.

Others bitten were John Grodnie, 31 years old, of 2214 Lee avenue, San Maham, 40 years old, of 1210A North Jefferson; Joseph Wyman, 7 years old, of 1817 Division; W. J. Robinson, 34 years old, of 5234 Cote; Brilleinte; Charles Webster, 12 years old, of 3257 Laclede.

Buffalo Wins Shrine Convention.
SEATTLE, Wash., July 16.—Buffalo was selected for the Shrine convention of 1916 by the nobles here at the close yesterday of the imperial council meeting. All uniformed patrols and bands will visit the Panama-Pacific Exposition. All seats on the imperial divan were filled by the nobles here at the close of imperial council meeting, which went to James E. Chandler, Kansas City.

CONTESTS IN GOLF TO BE A FEATURE OF CITY PLAY DAY

Prizes of Six Golf Balls Each
to Go to the Winners of
Contests.

St. Louis golfers will have an opportunity to show their skill in any one of several points of the game on Municipal Play day, July 24, at the Forest Park links. Contests of various sorts will be open to any of the 800 golfers in the Municipal Athletic Association.

Park Commissioner Culliff has arranged a series of prizes of 6 golf balls each for the winners of the different events. The contests will be in charge of Bonner Miller, chairman of the Muni League, and secretary of the Missouri State Golf Association.

A handicap golf game for women is expected to bring out the best of the women players on the public links. There also will be a men's handicap contest. A putting contest will be held on the practice greens, open to men and women.

An exhibition game will be played over the entire course by Cy Moore, winner of the Missouri State tournament, and Harry Potter, winner of the Muni and Country Club tournaments.

A flag tournament will be one of the interesting contests. Each player will play a given number of strokes, and will plant a flag at the last stroke. The winner will be the player whose flag is farthest from the first tee.

A new game of clock golf will be introduced, and the winners will be given prizes. A circle with numerals will be outlined on the grass, and the players will play around the numerals and into a hole in the center.

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Sprouse Hanged After He Gashes Throat in Cell

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taker's wagon. It then was taken to Corner Hopp's undertaking rooms at Kirkwood, where it will be held for two days pending claim for it. If no claim is made it will be buried in the potter's field at Oak Hill cemetery.

So far as the officials know, Sprouse died without an admission of his guilt. He denied to both priests that he had murdered his wife.

Baptized Into Church.
None of the officers about the County Jail could remember anything so weird as the prisoner's behavior on the night before his death. He had been baptized into the Catholic faith in the afternoon, and had read a Bible assiduously, but as the evening wore on his nervousness apparently called for some other occupation.

Just back of the tier of cells used as the death chamber is the part of the jail set aside for women. Below were the cells occupied by other male prisoners. These, about 9 o'clock, heard a noise which they apparently took to be a final test of the gallows. They began singing a hymn, of which the refrain was "Are you ready for the judgment day?"

When they had finished Sprouse clapped his hands and uttered a curious sound he was fond of, which sounded something like "Hitchy-koo," in a falsetto note.

Then he went toward the women's department and, after making a noise to attract their attention, shouted: "Sing for papa!"

The prisoners, negroes and white women responded with the hymn "Where He Leads Me I Will Follow." Their voices blended rather well and the melody apparently pleased Sprouse, for he clapped his hands in applause. Then they sang "No, Never Alone," and several other songs. When they had finished Sprouse began whistling "Turkey in the Straw."

The guards were of the opinion that he was whistling to keep up his courage, for, as the night wore on, he paced up and down the cell more nervously than before. By daylight a large crowd had gathered about the jail and Sprouse could see it from his cell, although he could not himself be seen from the outside. One of the guards declared he once looked out at the people and said, in a sarcastic tone, "Well, I hope you're enjoying yourselves." A few minutes later he said: "You think I am going to tell something; well, I won't!"

Mrs. Halman of Webster Groves, who had worked indefatigably to get Gov. Major to commute the man's sentence to life imprisonment, did not give up until about 10 o'clock yesterday evening. Then she addressed a final telegram, appealing to the Governor in the name of humanity not to permit the hanging to take place.

Mrs. Halman is interested in social reform work and became acquainted with the Spruce case on one of her visits to the jail.

FRANK REPETTO, WHO KILLED
CELLMATE, HANGED AT JOLIET

JOLIET, Ill., July 16.—Frank Repetto, 27 years old, was hanged here today for the murder of Charles Masters, his cellmate at the penitentiary.

Repetto was serving an indeterminate term in Joliet Penitentiary, for burglary committed in Chicago, when he killed Masters. Repetto stabbed him to death with a knife in the prison dining hall, Sept. 17, 1914.

Masters, formerly a member of Repetto's gang in Chicago, and also serving a sentence for burglary, had quarreled with Repetto two weeks prior to the murder. Repetto attacked a fellow prisoner who testified against him.

\$53,800 SPURIOUS BONDS AND MONEY FOUND IN CHICAGO

Discovery Made by Police When
They Enter House to Quell
a Disturbance.

CHICAGO, July 16.—What are declared to be false Minnesota State bonds and counterfeit currency amounting to \$53,800 were found today by police who entered a West Side rooming house to quell a disturbance between boarders and a landlady.

Though the boarders had a trunk so full of spurious money that two detectives could hardly lift it, they had refused to pay their rent and the argument became so noisy that passing officers entered the house. Four boarders were arrested.

Included in the counterfeit currency found were 3000 genuine \$1 bills which had been raised to five. The police announced after questioning the men that Samuel Robbins, 22 years old, had confessed and that they considered him the leader of the band. Robbins said that the money was made in Duluth.

A fifth man was taken into custody later. It is said that Robbins implicated only himself and his two assistants as the actual manufacturers of the spurious money and said that two other

prisoners who gave the names of Benjamin Saltzman and John Berkowitz were engaged in passing it.

The exact amount of counterfeit money recorded was \$28,800 and the Minnesota State bonds \$25,000.

MAN CLAIMING TO BE AMERICAN SHOT FOR TREASON IN AUSTRIA

London Paper Says Account of Execution—Is Official Journal of Province of Silesia.

LONDON, July 16.—Franz Serka, a laborer who claimed American citizenship, was shot for high treason at Marzisch-Ostau, in Austrian Silesia, June 14, according to the Daily Chronicle, which says it gets its information from a copy of the official journal of the province of Silesia.

Serka, who was 46 years old, says the Daily Chronicle, was tried before the military court charged with using two traitorous expressions in an inn at Gross Heilendorf.

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Suits	Skirts
\$7.50 Hatline, Gabardine and Linen Tub Suits . . . \$3.95	95c and \$1.25 Tub Skirts—clearance sale price . . . 75c
\$10, \$12.50 and \$16.50 Palm Beach, Gabardine and Linen Suits . . . \$6.50	\$2 and \$2.50 Tub Skirts—clearance sale price . . . \$1.45
\$2 Cloth Suits—formerly sold up to \$19.75 . . . \$5.95	\$4.95 Hatline Striped all-wool Worsteds Skirts for outing & golfing . . . \$2.50

Coats	Millinery
\$2.25 Linen Motoring Coats will go at . . . 90c	\$5 Trimmed Hats Clearance Sale Price only . . . 95c
\$2.75 and \$4.50 Linen Motoring Coats; now reduced to . . . \$1.95	\$2 Sport Hats Will go tomorrow at . . . 59c
\$3 Satin and Silk Taffeta Sport Coats—were \$5.00 . . . \$2.95	

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Margaret Freudenstein Makes Basket and Sells It—Post Card Lecture Nets \$1.50.

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Previously acknowledged	\$763.33
Post-Dispatch	1.00
Emma and Ella Pleus and Ruth Lang	1.50
Virginia A. Dice	17.01
Phil A. Becker	1.50
Margaret Freudenstein	4.00
Mrs. Nathan Cole	20.00
Total	\$810.84

The Post-Dispatch Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund has crossed the \$800 line. This is a handsome total when viewed in the minds of those who have followed years of suffering in distinction. There are, however, circumstances tending to redeem the situation, which promises to undergo rapid change for the better. Until recently the weather was free of depressing heat and therefore aroused little concern as to its blighting effect upon babies of the crowded districts of the city. This impression was not well founded, as reports from the St. Louis Pure Milk Commission and the Free Ice and Diet Circle of King's Daughters told of enlarged demand upon them for these essentials to the comfort and recovery of ailing infants. The same active agencies in the work of providing for these little wards of the benevolent public are able to state, however, that no case brought to their attention failed to receive relief.

But whatever of doubt as to the present summer bringing weather of a severely trying character may have lingered in the minds of those who stand ready to contribute whenever actual conditions call for it, has been dispelled in the last few days. The temperature, aggravated by excessive humidity, is filled with discomfort for young and old and positive peril for the little ones who are without the means of combating it. Advice reach the Post-Dispatch daily in such numbers of activities among supporters of the Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund that there remains no lack of confidence as to the effectiveness of the campaign in behalf of the babies. The children are striving with an earnestness never exceeded, and the older people in sympathy with their undertakings are lending encouragement of the sort that brings great results.

Lawn Party Planned.
Misses M. Bell and M. Goessling are coaching a number of little folks who reside on Maryville, Maple and Hamilton avenues for a lawn party and entertainment to be given next Friday evening, at 927 Maryville avenue, from which large returns are expected. The boys and girls lending their aid to the benefit are John, Martha, Billy and Virginia Timberlake, Dorothy and Yandell Johnson, Fredericka Bell, George Smith, Albertina, Herman Jr. and Gregory Goessling, Dumont and Tom Dempsey, Harry Cameron and William H. Lacey. They are charging only 5 cents.

At the Echo Skydome, Lillian and East Arlington avenues, this evening, is to take place the benefit for the fund.

COCKROACHES IN THE KITCHEN

How to Exterminate These Pests That Spoil the Food.

Nothing is more repulsive to the neat housewife than to see cockroaches crawling around the kitchen, pantry or closet, spoiling food and injuring clothing. The easiest and most effective way to completely exterminate them is with Stearns Electric Paste, the deadly foe of rats, mice, cockroaches, water bugs and all vermin.

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Some of the Milk and Ice Fund's Ardent Supporters



Bottom row, left to right: Jean Haggenjos, Ruth Haggenjos, Catherine Schaberg, Burt Schaberg and Edith Goessling.
Top row: Grace Goessling, Urban Beindick and Berenice Dice.

which that section of the city has been stimulating for several days. Children have been unusually active in behalf of the affair, which is one organized by pupils of the Harney Heights School, with co-operation from the School Parents' Association. Members of the latter body will be at the skydome early in order to see that all who attend are made to feel at home. The program includes several reels of movies and an act of vaudeville. There are to be two shows customary, and those who have been devoting their time and energies to the event expect an attendance of more than 2000.

Girl Sells Basket for \$4.
In today's acknowledgments of contributions appears one of \$4 from Margaret Freudenstein of 494 Chouteau avenue. This little miss, who is only 10 years old, raised that sum through disposing of a raffish basket made entirely by herself.

Another contribution of \$1.50, sent in by Phil A. Becker, represented the proceeds of an illustrated post card lecture organized by children at the home of John W. Becker, 3463 Longfellow boulevard, for the benefit of the fund. Lectures on Europe and the West Indies were given by Arthur Leussler and the host, respectively.

Emma and Ella Pleus of 2356 Virginia avenue, and Ruth Lang of 2340 Virginia avenue realized \$1.50 for the fund from a lemonade stand.

Elsie Bentler, 1539 South Third street, started out in her undertaking for babies to arrange a play, but found conditions not altogether inviting for this and set about making straight collections. In this way she brought in \$2.50 for the cause.

AUTO HITS MAN, DRIVER TRIES 3 HOURS TO GET BOND APPROVED

Harry Green Finally Passes Night in Holdover—Winslow Bidleman, 78, Badly Hurt.

Harry Green of 1639 Arlington avenue, who was arrested last night after his automobile had injured Winslow Bidleman, 78 years old, at Franklin and Theresa avenues, was permitted to ride about for more than three hours, trying to get the approval of a judge for his bond. Pat Butler, who accompanied him, was ready to sign the bond, but no judge could be persuaded to approve it, and Green, returning to the Dayton Street Station at 2 a. m., had to pass the rest of the night in the holdover.

A policeman accompanied Green and Butler. Green said this morning that he drove the machine at Butler's direction, and that he did not know who the judges were, or why all refused to accept Butler, who is said by the police to be a qualified bondsman.

Bidleman, who lives at the Normandie Hotel, was crossing the street near the hotel at 8:15 p. m. when Green's car struck him. His left hip was broken and his scalp and face were cut. He is in the Missouri Baptist Sanitarium, and his condition was said this morning to be favorable.

Green's wife and his sister, Miss Jennie Green, who were riding in the car at the time of the accident, went home in a street car.

32 DRIVEN OUT BY FIRE IN THIRD STREET LODGING HOUSE

Woman Neighbor Alleges She Saw Man Escape From Fire Escape Before Blaze Was Discovered.

Fire on the third floor of the three-story rooming house conducted by Pasquale Florio, at 308 South Third street, routed 32 lodgers at 1 o'clock this morning and damaged the building about \$2000. Several men and women descended the fire escape.

Mrs. Nellie Smith of 313 South Third street, told the police that a few minutes before the first started she saw a man come out of a second story window of the rooming house and climb the fire escape to the third floor. He remained in the third-floor room about five minutes, she said, and then descended the fire escape to the bottom room, jumped to the sidewalk and ran east on Clark avenue. About three minutes later Mrs. Smith saw flames in the room the man had entered.

Florio said the description of the man seen by Mrs. Smith resembled that of an employee he discharged a few days ago and who threatened to "get even."

Wrong Address Published.
The family of Henry L. Stumpf, 4726 Leduc street, has been annoyed by published accounts of warrants having been issued against Alex Buchanan and Arthur Cox, alleged violators of the oleomargarine law, in which their address was incorrectly given as 4726 Leduc street. Buchanan and Cox live in the 4740 block on Leduc street, but not at 4726. No body living at 4726 has any connection with the oleomargarine cases.

Illinois Waterway Commissioners.

CHICAGO, July 16.—Three members of the Illinois Waterways Commission named by Gov. Dunne yesterday are Samuel Alschuler, Aurora; Edward J. Kelly, engineer for the sanitary board, Chicago; and Samuel J. Drew, J. Alschuler was named chairman. Two more members will be named later.

NORMAL AND SANE ERA IN WOMEN'S WEAR INDICATED

Rational Clothes to Come With End of Freak Shoes, Dealers Believe.

Freak styles for women are about to run into the ground, with the passing of the present oddities in shoes. According to persons in the business of making and selling women's shoes, freakish tendencies in styles begin with women's hats, descend through their clothing, and are shown in their footwear last of all. When women's shoes get back to the "normal and sane" styles now promised the passing of a freak era would seem to be indicated.

A New York dispatch, printed in yesterday's Post-Dispatch, said that at a meeting of representatives of the national organizations of shoe manufacturers, jobbers and retailers, it was decided to abandon the button-at-the-back styles, and the use of combined colors. The "normal and sane" style to which it is intended to return, the dispatch said, is a black shoe, with cloth upper.

W. L. Stegall of the Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co. said, on learning the contents of the New York dispatch, that he expected to see styles become more moderate, but that he doubted whether the action of a convention would have much to do with it. One factory puts out a certain style of shoe, he said, and if the public likes it, other factories are likely to make it until the demand ceases.

Horace Swope, secretary of a retail firm, made no faith in the effect of the New York meeting. For years, he said, organizations of millinery and tailoring firms have determined the styles in women's hats and dresses, and while the similar movement in the shoe business is a more recent one, he believes it is well established.

Through the summer season, he said, the demand for back-button and combined-color shoes will probably continue, but fall styles will be more normal, and by winter women may have discarded all fancy footwear except indoor slippers.

IT QUENCHES THIRST

Horsford's Acid Phosphate. Refreshing in glass of water, it is recommended to quench thirst and refresh the system.

TSE NE GAT, PIUTE INDIAN, FOUND NOT GUILTY OF MURDER

Red Man Who Surrendered to Maj. Gen. Scott Has Tuberculosis, May Not Live Long.

DENVER, July 16.—Tse Ne Gat, Piute Indian, was found not guilty of murder by a jury in the United States District Court late yesterday. Tse Ne Gat had been accused of murdering Juan Chacota, a Mexican sheep herder, in Southwest Colorado. Tse Ne Gat, according to physicians, will not enjoy freedom long. They say he is seriously affected with tuberculosis of the lungs.

When United States Marshal Nebeker of Utah attempted last February to arrest Tse Ne Gat, the Piute and his brother, Old Pok, resisted. He sent for a posse of deputy marshals. Other Indians joined Tse Ne Gat and they retreated into hills in Utah. One deputy and several Indians were killed in fights.

Hugh L. Scott, Major-General and Chief of Staff of the army, went unarmed and practically unaccompanied into the Indian camp and persuaded them to surrender.

Gov. Dunne on Way to Exposition. CHICAGO, July 16.—Gov. Edward F. Dunne, with his family and official suite, left for the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco last night for the celebration of Illinois day, July 24.

Mayor William H. Thompson will leave today with the First Regiment, I. N. G. A stop will be made at Kansas City tomorrow.

Saturday Morning "Specials"

Until 1 O'Clock
Lower Prices Just for
This Occasion

Look for the "Special Tickets" Saturday Morning—
They Will Point the Way to the Biggest Economies
of the Season in New, Desirable Merchandise

50c Washable Chamisette Gloves
Two clasps—in white, natural, gray and pongee shades, with fancy stitching on back—
all sizes—special Saturday morning at... **25c**
(Main Floor.)

\$1.95 and \$2.95 New Waists at
40 dozen for Saturday morning's selling—
splendid styles and qualities—fine voiles,
organdies and fancy materials—all sizes... **\$1.25**
(Main Floor.)

\$1.50 Summer Kimonos Special
Kimonos of satin-striped voiles, crepes and
dotted Swisses—various styles—special values
at \$1.50—for Saturday morning only, priced
75c
(Main Floor.)

Crepe de Chine and Taffeta Dresses
That were \$9.75, \$12.75 and \$14.75—
all splendid new styles—Saturday
morning at... **\$7.50**
(Third Floor.)

\$3.95 and \$5.00 Wash Dresses
Nearly 200 for Saturday morning's selling
—a great variety of materials and styles—
every size—on sale at... **\$1.95**
(Third Floor.)

\$1.50 Beach Cloth Skirts at
Excellent quality new Beach Cloth Skirts—
piques and other materials—the \$1.50 kind
—on special sale Saturday morning at... **75c**
(Fourth Floor.)

\$3 and \$3.50 Oxfords \$1.00
A sale of 240 pairs Women's Oxfords Saturday
morning—all new styles—various leathers,
and every size—special... **1 A Pair**
(Messanine Floor.)

Kline's
606-608 WASHINGTON AVE.—THRU TO SIXTH ST.

Store Hours
Daily 8:30 A.M.
to 5 P.M.
Saturdays
to 1 P.M.

Stix Baer & Fuller
GRAND-LEADER SIXTH WASHINGTON SEVENTH & LUCKS SAINT LOUIS

The Restaurant
Will Be
Closed All Day
Tomorrow

Store Closes at 12:30 Tomorrow

We're Going Out to the Picnic

Tomorrow afternoon will occur the Annual Picnic Outing of the Stix, Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Company employees at the store's big new country club, twenty-two miles out on the bluffs overlooking the Meramec.

We Will Be Glad to Have Our Patrons Come With Us

The only charge will be the Railroad fare of 45c Round Trip. Tomorrow we'll keep "open house," and this will be a splendid opportunity for you to see this great "Summer resort" of the Grand-Leader employees, with its beautiful buildings, picturesque sights and many comforts. Special trains leave Union Station at 1:30 and 2:10 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Returning, trains leave Grand-Leader Club at 6:10, 7:42 and 9:20 p. m.

Railroad Tickets, forty-five cents (45c), on sale at Public Service Bureau, Main Floor.

In the July Clearing Sale— Children's Shoes

These Shoes are in this season's newest and most demanded styles; all from the factories of well-known manufacturers, including Dugan & Hudson—and it is a rare opportunity, indeed, which enables you to purchase these celebrated brands of Shoes at such low prices.

Lot 1—
Infants' and Children's Shoes of \$1.25 to \$2 grades, in sizes from 2½ to 8; in patent, dull and tan leathers; also white; special at the pair, **69c**

Lot 2—
Misses' and Children's Low Shoes, in pump or Oxford style; leathers patent, dull and also white; values from \$2.50 to \$3, in sizes from 8½ to 2, at the pair, **89c**

Lot 3—
Growing Girls' Shoes in patent, dull kid and also in white, \$3 to \$4 grades, in sizes 2½ to 6; pair, **\$1.29**
(Main Floor.)

Clearing Sale Lots Until 12:30 Only

\$3.50 Hammocks—Well made, full size, with spread and valance—while a lot of thirty-eight lasts, special at **\$1.69**
(Fifth Floor.)

80c Croquet Sets—Four-ball sets, complete with mallets and wickets—packed in wood box—while a lot of 40 sets lasts, **49c**
(Fifth Floor.)

\$1 Cream Freezers—Ice Cream Freezers—4-quart capacity—made of heavy tin. Freezes sherbet or cream in 5 minutes. While a lot of 100 dozen lasts, each, **55c**
(Fifth Floor.)

\$10 Electric Fans—10-inch blades—splendid motor for use on direct or alternating current—complete with plug and 8 feet of cord—while a lot of 15 lasts, each, **\$6.69**
(Fifth Floor.)

Water Tumblers—Thin blown, standard 9-oz. size—regularly 50c a dozen—while a lot of 200 dozen lasts—(no mail or phone orders)—limit of one dozen to a buyer, **Each, 2c**
(Fifth Floor.)

Music Rolls—250 Music Rolls, priced very special for clearance Saturday until 1 o'clock, **Each, 21c**
(Fourth Floor.)

\$6 Cut Glass Tumblers—Cut Glass Tumblers, cut on heavy crystal blanks, in chrysanthemum and whirling star design—regular \$6 dozen—special for Saturday at **6 for \$1.98**
(Fifth Floor.)

Glove Silk Vests—Women's Embroidered Glove Silk Vests, in pink or white, mercerized ribbon in neck and arms—crochet edge, **\$1**
(Main Floor.)

Stamped Combinations—Women's Teddy Bear Combinations—stamped in simple designs for French or eyelet embroidery—regularly 35c—at **19c**
(Art Needlework—Second Floor.)

Women's Neckwear—All imported pieces—Collars, Collar and Cuff Sets, Gimpes, Vestees, of lace, net and lawn—lace trimmed and hand embroidered—choice at **Half Price**
(Square 3—Main Floor.)

35c Handkerchiefs—Women's Handkerchiefs, of pure Irish linen—slight "seconds" of 35c and even 50c qualities—choice, **15c**
(Main Floor.)

Boys' \$1 Pajamas—Of fine checked pajamas and mercerized materials, white and solid colors. Sizes 6 to 12 years. (Limit of two to a buyer)—each, **50c**
(Men's Store—Main Floor.)

\$1.50 and \$2 Shirts—"Arrow" brand Shirts, with neckband or collar attached—also limited quantity of Sport Shirts in white and colors. Sizes 14 to 17-inch neckband—(limit of one garment to a buyer)—**69c**
(Men's Store—Main Floor.)

50c Bathing Shoes—Bathing Shoes, made of heavy canvas, with canvas soles—very light and strong—sizes 1 to 10—50c grades at **25c Pair**
(Second Floor Annex.)

Men's \$1 Union Suits—Athletic style—made of sheer crossbar nainsook, closed crotch—all sizes—(limit of two Suits to a buyer)—each, **50c**
(Northeast Cor.—Main Floor.)

\$11.95 Silk Sweaters—About fifty Sweaters, in Copenhagen, canary and rose, with white facings and cuffs. Sizes 40 to 48-inch bust measurement—while lot lasts, **\$8.95**
(Second Floor.)

Bathing Suits—Choice of our entire stock of Women's Bathing Suits, priced \$15 and upwards—embracing all high-class Silk and Mohair Suits (none sent on approval nor will any be exchanged), at a discount of **50%**
(Second Floor.)

Bathing Slippers—Women's Bathing slippers, in pump, Oxford and high-cut styles. Come in solid white, black, red, blue and with white polka dots, **25c to 95c**
(Main Floor.)

Barefoot Sandals—Made of very fine quality tan leather, with good, solid leather soles. Sizes for children 6 to 10—50c and 75c grades—at pair, **29c**
(Basement.)

\$1 Silk Socks—Women's fine Thread Silk Socks, in colors—medium and gauze weight—double heel soles, toes and high heels—odds and ends—three pairs \$1—pair, **35c**
(Main Floor.)

\$1 Union Suits—Women's fine ribbed, mercerized lisle thread Union Suits—Kaysers brand. Tight knees, tubular band neck and arms—others bodice style with ribbon over shoulders—white or pink—choice, **60c**
(Main Floor.)

Women's 50c Vests—Women's fine ribbed lisle thread Vests—mercerized taped neck and arms, in extra sizes—usually 50c—specially priced at **23c**
(Square 4—Main Floor.)

Children's 25c, 35c Socks—Children's of silk and lisle, in plain colors and white, also colors with fancy tops, with double heels and toes—specially offered at **15c Pair**
(Square 15—Main Floor.)

95c "Chatterbox"—Just a limited quantity of "Chatterbox" 1913 edition—the popular children's book—specially priced for Saturday at **29c Each**
(Square 5—Main Floor.)

\$2 to \$4 Skirts—Women's late Summer Skirts, of pique, gabardine and linen, in such colors as navy blue, linen color and Palm Beach shades. Regularly priced \$2 to \$4, offered as a special for Saturday's selling at **\$1.25 and \$1.98**
(Square 7—Main Floor.)

50c Bathing Shoes—Bathing Shoes, made of heavy canvas, with canvas soles—very light and strong—sizes 1 to 10—50c grades at **25c Pair**
(Second Floor Annex.)

Wash Skirts—Any Wash Skirt in the Basement Skirt Section that has been selling at \$1.98 and \$2.98—hundreds to choose from—will be on sale tomorrow until 1 o'clock. **\$1.48**
(Basement.)

50c-75c Handkerchiefs—Men's Handkerchiefs, of Japanese and twill silk—large size—plain white. Just 25 dozen of these to 75c qualities—specially offered at **25c Each**
(Square 2—Main Floor.)

50c, 75c Neckpieces—Sample Neckpieces, including Cretone Collars, Collar and Cuff Sets, Vestees, Quaker Collars, of organdie, lawn and lace—embroidered, lace trimmed—others with touch of color—**25c Each**
(Square 10—Main Floor.)

15c Writing Paper—Box of Writing Paper, containing 24 sheets and 24 envelopes—specially offered in this sale while 500 boxes last, at the box, **5c**
(Main Floor.)

25c Bathing Caps—Pure gum rubber Bathing Caps, in colors red, black and buff—regularly 25c—specially offered for Saturday's selling at **15c Each**
(Main Floor.)

\$2 to \$3.50 Elastic Girdles—Treeo Elastic Girdles for bathing, dancing and home use—not in all sizes—selling regularly at \$2 to \$3.50—specially priced for tomorrow at **Half Price**
(Main Floor.)

15c, 25c Hair Nets—Human Hair Nets—largest size—45x47 inches—close mesh—regularly selling at 15c and 25c—specially offered for Saturday at **3 for 25c**
(Third Floor.)

Folding Canvas Cots—Light-weight Folding Canvas Cots, strongly built and made to fold compactly. Fitted with 9 oz. ducking—no telephone orders filled—at the special price of **85c**
(Sixth Floor.)

\$4.50 Suit Cases—Suit Cases, made of good grade leather over steel frame in box and top—fold in lid—straps all around, with sole leather corners and sewed-on handles—brass lock and bolts—special at **\$2.50**
(Second Floor Annex.)

\$4.50 Bathing Suits—Men's Bathing Suits, made of finest worsted yarn, full fashioned, in California style, in three color combination—trimming—navy blue body—regularly \$4.50—at **\$3**
(Second Floor Annex.)

25c Windsor Ties—Windsor Ties, of plain or printed ends, and fancy colored effects, in every wanted color—popular for wear with middie. Just 200 dozen of these 25c Ties to sell tomorrow at two for 25c—or, **15c Each**
(Main Floor.)

ORES

REVELLE BLOCKS PROPOSED SURETY CONCERNS' MERGER

State Insurance Commissioner
Objects to Equitable and New
England Plans.

State Insurance Commissioner Revelle told a Post-Dispatch reporter at Jefferson City today that he had refused to approve the proposed consolidation of the Equitable Surety Co. of St. Louis and the New England Casualty Co., because under the contract of consolidation the Equitable would become a mere corporate shell, liable to the New England Co. on all business which may be canceled after the merger.

The stockholders of the Equitable Surety Co., which was organized in St. Louis four years ago, with a capital stock of \$1,000,000, later reduced to \$500,000, were to receive eighty-four one hundredths of a share of stock in the consolidated corporation for each share of stock they now own. The stockholders of the New England corporation, which

was capitalized for \$1,000,000, were to receive 58 per cent of the stock of the new corporation.

B. J. Tausig, former City Controller, is president of the Equitable, which was organized by James E. Smith, former vice president of the Simmons Hardware Co.

Nat. Ewing, a stockholder of the Equitable, several weeks ago filed a suit against the company and the Board of Directors to restrain them from completing the consolidation. Ewing charged in his petition that neither the St. Louis company nor the New England company was on a paying basis, and that the consolidation would further jeopardize the interests of the stockholders.

Revelle said that under the plan of consolidation proposed it would be necessary to retain the corporate entity of the Equitable Surety Co. for a period of 20 years. This would be an imposition on the minority stockholders of the company, he said.

The Insurance Commissioner sent a letter last night to the officials of the Equitable stating that if the contract of consolidation should be amended so that the affairs of the Equitable could be wound up within one year, he would approve the contract. His position was that the Equitable, instead of being a mere corporate shell, should be liquidated so that the stockholders' interests might be fully protected.

It was proposed to call the new corporation the New England Equitable

Surety Co. The capital stock was to be \$1,000,000, and the company was to retain offices in St. Louis and Boston. The business east of the Mississippi River was to be done by the New England office and west of the Mississippi by the St. Louis office.

One of Ewing's objections to the consolidation was that under this plan there would be no saving in overhead expenses. It would be necessary to retain the office forces of the two companies, without any direct advantage to the local company.

The Equitable company filed a demurrer to the bill filed by W. B. and Ford Thompson, attorneys for Ewing, stating that it did not set up a cause of action. An amended petition will be filed by Ewing in a few days, in which additional grounds for the injunction will be brought forward.

Ewing's injunction suit was directed to the company and the board of directors, of which the following are members: Tausig, August A. Busch, Henry C. Haerstick, Thomas H. West, Allen T. West, W. H. West, Daniel K. Catlin, P. C. Scanlan, James E. Smith, F. Mead, H. C. Miles, H. G. Cleveland, C. A. Lemp, R. H. Stockton, A. E. Mallinckrodt, F. O. Watts, E. C. Simmons, David R. Francis, B. F. Edwards and F. Ray Carter.

Equitable Said to Have Lost Money. Ewing charged in letters protesting against the consolidation, which were addressed to Tausig and incorporated exhibits in his suit, that the Equitable had lost money heavily during the past year.

Ewing is the owner of 25 shares of stock. His petition asserted that there had been no meeting of the stockholders to approve the consolidation. Letters were sent to the stockholders requesting them to deposit their stock with a committee comprised of Haerstick, Stockton, Catlin, Lemp and Tausig. The stockholders who turned in their stock gave their written assent to the merger.

KEEP THE BABIES HEALTHY
Father John's Medicine is best tonic.

BUYS A. G. VANDERBILT HORSES

NEW YORK, July 15.—With the exception of six horses, the show stable of the late Alfred G. Vanderbilt, president of the National Horse Show Association, was sold at auction here yesterday afternoon. The sale attracted horse fanciers from all over the country.

Thirty-three horses, all in training and ready for exhibition, including seven English coach horses, imported last fall, were sold for a total of \$34,775. Pireno, one of the most famous of the Vanderbilt horses, brought \$2,750, and Mel-Valley Flame \$2,800. They went to J. C. Brady of New York. August A. Busch of St. Louis paid \$450 for four of the hackneys.

LAW ENFORCEMENT CLOSES 50 SALOONS IN EAST ST. LOUIS

Licenses Not Renewed, Owners
Saying They Lost Money When
Forced to Obey Statutes.

Fifty of the 363 saloons in East St. Louis failed to renew their licenses July 1, and this morning license inspectors began ordering them to close.

The failures are largely due, saloonkeepers said, to Mayor Molman's strict enforcement of the midnight closing law, and to the refusal of the police to permit women to drink beer in back rooms of saloons.

One saloonkeeper said that "beer parties" at his saloon at night, in which women participated, were the source of his profit, and that when he found he could not continue them it was necessary for him to fail to take out a license.

Saloons still are permitted to remain open on Sunday. Under previous administrations some saloons were allowed to remain open all night, and police were not vigilant in forcing the closing of saloons promptly at midnight.

The saloon license fee in East St. Louis is \$500 a year. The closing of 50 saloons means a loss of \$25,000 a year in revenue to the city. As licenses are issued for six months, at a cost of \$250 each, the immediate loss in revenue to the city is \$12,500.

ROADS BOOSTERS IMPROVE SIX MILES OF HIGHWAY IN DAY

Mountain Grove Business Men and Farmers Respond to Call of Commercial Club.

MOUNTAIN GROVE, Mo., July 15.—As the result of one day's work by 150 business men and farmers of this vicinity, six miles of the worst road of the county has been placed in the best of condition. The work was done Wednesday, the men responding to the call of the Mountain Grove Commercial Club. At noon a basket luncheon was served by the women of Mountain Grove.

The Commercial Club is planning to organize all the towns between here and Springfield to work the whole road in one day. Good roads boosters here also are preparing to launch a campaign for good roads throughout this section by levying a small tax on each acre of land.

BUILDING CONSTRUCTION IN U. S. FELL OFF 23 PER CENT IN JUNE

Permits Taken Out in 122 Cities Show Gain in 30 and Losses in 71, Says Construction News.

CHICAGO, July 15.—Building construction in the United States in June showed decrease compared with a year ago, according to an analysis which will be published in the Construction News tomorrow.

Permits were taken out in 11 cities for 24,542 buildings, an estimated cost of \$58,188,308, against 25,588 buildings to cost \$81,978,282 in June, 1914. This is a decrease of 23 per cent. In the 122 cities there were gains in 30 and losses in 71, with one stationary. Philadelphia is the only large city to show a gain in June, with two per cent.

"It will not be more than two months before the figures will show a gain," the Construction News will say. "Operations will then proceed at an increasing ratio."

INQUIRY IN POWDER EXPLOSION

Suspected That Outside Agency Wrecked Kentucky Plant.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 15.—Believing the explosion which wrecked the plant of the United Safety Powder Co., near Louisville, last Monday, and which caused the loss of four lives, including that of the company's president, S. Waddell, superintendent, to have been caused by outside agencies, an exhaustive investigation has been ordered by the Board of Directors.

The plant has been under lease to a Canadian company manufacturing high explosives.

MISSOURI STATE LIFE BUILDING IS OPEN

The new seven-story Missouri State Life Building, erected at a cost of \$450,000, at Fifteenth and Locust streets, was formally opened Thursday, and the festivities that were carried on all day progressed into the late evening, ending in a dance. During the day employees conducted several thousand visitors through the offices which were wrecked in the building, which is considered one of the handsome structures of St. Louis.

At a banquet held in the evening, Mayor Henry W. Kiel was the principal speaker. Mayor Kiel was introduced by E. P. Melson, president of the Missouri State Life Insurance Co.

The Mayor, in his speech, congratulated President Melson and other officers of the company on the erection of the new building and the great progress that the corporation has made since its inception. Other speakers included W. E. Belthamer of the Equitable, Walter K. Chom of the State Insurance Department, Markey Wilson of the International Life, W. H. McBride of the Central States Life and Edward Hadden, president of the Business Men's League, who declared that it was his belief that the pulmotor was invented by an insurance man so that he might keep life in a policyholder long enough to collect just "one more premium."

The Missouri State Life company now has more than \$100,000,000 of insurance in force. Its assets amount to \$11,000,000. Its resources amount to \$125 for every \$100 of insurance written.

Total amount paid to policy holders since the organization of the company has amounted to more than \$14,000,000.

ROSENTHAL DIES AS A GERMAN SPY IN ENGLAND

Had a U. S. Passport and Admitted That He Was Working for German Admiralty.

LONDON, July 15.—Another German spy has been put to death in England, after having been convicted by court-martial. He was Robert Rosenthal, arrested in London in June, who con-

fessed, it is alleged, that he had been sent to England by the German admiralty to obtain information concerning British naval matters. Official announcement of the execution of the sentence of the court-martial was made last night.

Rosenthal when arrested had a passport which had been issued at the American embassy in Berlin. He admitted he was not an American citizen.

Ambassador Page at London, in a report to the State Department in Washington, said stories were current in London to the effect that Rosenthal had said that Capt. von Prieger of the German Admiralty office had a complete equipment for issuing fraudulent American passports.

Wealthy California Pioneer Dies. LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 15.—Cecil Chapman, wealthy Tonopah pioneer and partner of George Wingfield, the Goldfield millionaire, when their combined capital amounted to \$1,92, is dead at his home here.

FORMER DELEGATE OHEIM'S DEATH FOUND TO BE ACCIDENT

Real Estate Dealer Fell From Window of Second-Story of Private Hospital.

Henry G. Oheim, a former member of the House of Delegates, died yesterday afternoon from the result of his fall out of a second-story window at the Record Hospital, 90 North Garrison avenue, where he was a patient. The coroner today returned a verdict of accident.

Oheim was 37 years old and formerly lived at 433 Delmar boulevard. He was married and was in the real estate and insurance business. He was sent to the hospital last winter, following a nervous breakdown. He was found lying on the brick pavement beneath his window at 1 o'clock yesterday morning, and died eight hours later.

Oheim's father and brother conduct a fishing resort at Kinnawick, south of

St. Louis, and another brother, John Oheim, is employed in the office of the Recorder of Deeds. Oheim ran for the office of Justice of the Peace in a south side district a few years ago, but was defeated by Frank M. Kleiber.

**FOR
Griesedieck Bros.
Brewing Co.'s
Advertisement
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MAN AND WIFE

Accounts may be opened in the Third
National Bank's Savings Department by man
and wife, so that

EITHER

can deposit or withdraw their funds. This
plan of conducting a joint bank account is
used by a large number of men and women
who consider marriage a partnership.

**NATIONAL BANK PROTECTION
FOR BOTH**



Broadway and Olive.

20c Adjustable Screens, 33-Inch Extension, 50

STORE OPEN TILL 6 P. M. SATURDAY

\$1 Gloves

Pure silk; 16-button length; double finger tips; in white and black; all sizes; pair.

53c

Jenny & Gentles
BROADWAY & MORGAN ST.
St. Louis
BARGAIN CENTER
We Give a Return
SECURITY STAMPS

69c Hand Bags

Leather Bags in the newest styles; some with fittings; double or single strap handle.

39c

Clearing of Skirts, Waists and Dresses

Prices lower than ever. Many new lots—all have to go.

50c Wash Skirts at.....	25c	65c Shirt Waists at.....	25c	\$1 Lawn Dresses, women's and children's at.....	25c
\$1.00 Wash Skirts at.....	50c	\$1.00 Shirt Waists at.....	69c	\$2.00 Summer Dresses at.....	\$1.00
\$1.98 Wash Skirts at.....	\$1.00	\$1.50 Silk Waists at.....	\$1.00	\$3.00 Summer Dresses at.....	\$1.98
\$3.50 Mohair Skirts at.....	\$1.98	\$7.50 Silk Sweater Coats; all colors at.....	\$4.98	\$6.00 Summer Dresses, slightly soiled at.....	\$1.00
\$3.50 All-Silk and Mohair Skirts.....	\$2.98	50c Middy Waists, white with trimming.....	29c	\$7.50 Fine Lawn and Silk Dresses.....	\$3.98

\$2.50 AND \$3.00 LOW SHOES, \$1.59

Again tomorrow we offer women's \$2.50 and \$3 Low Shoes at much less than actual cost, all new styles and shapes, Patents, bronze and dull leather; welt and hand-turned soles; high and low heels; sizes to fit all; extra special at.....

Child's \$1.25 and \$1.50 sample High and Low Shoes.....77c
Misses' \$2.00 sample Oxfords and Strap Pumps.....98c
Misses' \$2.00 tan Button Oxfords, wide, easy toes.....83c
Children's Barefoot Sandals, sizes 5 to 2, at.....42c

BOYS' Good durable Shoes; wide toes; Blucher style; all perfect; sizes 1 to 6; just for Saturday.....

Men's \$1 Pongee Shirts, 55c

Mercedized Pongee Shirts with soft turn-down collar, buttoned cuffs, sizes 14 to 17.

Men's 25c Silk Sox
Black silk white toe and heel, 12c

Men's 35c Underwear
Checked Nainsook Shirts or Drawers; shirts sleeveless, drawers knee length.....19c

Women's 25c Union Suits
Fine ribbed, low neck, sleeveless, tape neck and arm; lace knee; 3 for 50c.....19c

Women's 25c Silk Stockings
Black fiber silk, seamless, double sole and toe, high spliced heel; 8 pairs.....19c

Men's \$1.00 Bathing Suits
Jersey ribbed, one-piece shirt style; navy blue body, red or blue trim; med; all sizes.....55c



Thomson's Glove-Fitting Corsets

Style 79—Is a model for medium figures, with extra long skirt extension and medium high bust—four heavy hose supporters front and sides. It is one of the best all-around Corsets we have ever had the pleasure of selling—sizes 19 to 36—price.....

\$1.00

55c Ice Cream Freezer, Most Sanitary, 29c

OUT THEY GO!

LOWEST PRICES ON RECORD

The instantaneous success with which this stupendous clean-up sale has met, stamps it as the "Greatest Price Shattering Event of the Year." This store has been crowded to its fullest capacity daily, ever since the first announcement of the drastic measures that we've employed to rush out our enormous spring and summer stocks now on hand. It seems as though every economical household in St. Louis is taking advantage of this wonderful event and are buying clothes for time to come. Our grim determination not to carry over a single garment from season to season and to effect a double-quick disposal are the reasons for the unprecedented low prices in this announcement. Just read below, consider every item carefully. THEN ACT.

OUT THEY GO!

\$7.50 Values—SUITS

For Men and Young Men

All sizes—see these Suits displayed in our show windows.....

\$3.66

OUT THEY GO!

All-Wool Blue Serge SUITS

\$10 Values—For Men and Young Men

All sizes—three-piece pure wool Blue Serge Suits—see these goods displayed in our show windows.....

\$5.66

OUT THEY GO!

Genuine Mohair SUITS

\$15 Values—For Men and Young Men

All sizes—made of genuine English mohair cloth—beautiful patterns—see these Suits in windows.....

\$7.50

OUT THEY GO!

Neat Washable SUITS

\$5 Values—For Men and Young Men

Made of good, washable materials—light and medium colors—see these Suits displayed in windows.....

\$2.50

OUT THEY GO!

\$10.00 Values—SUITS

For Men and Young Men

All sizes—see these Suits displayed in our show windows.....

\$4.66

OUT THEY GO!

\$15.00 Values—SUITS

For Men and Young Men

All sizes—pure wool cassimeres, Scotch and blue serge—see these Suits displayed in our windows.....

\$6.88

OUT THEY GO!

\$20.00 and \$22.50 Values—SUITS

For Men and Young Men

All sizes—hand tailored, highest grade pure wool—also Priestley Mohair Suits—see window display.....

\$9.44

OUT THEY GO!

Dark Washable SUITS

\$9 Values—For Men & Young Men

Fine, washable fabrics—handsome patterns and colors—see these Suits displayed in our show windows.....

\$4.50

Entire Stock of Stag Brand (Union Made) PANTS

OVER 12,000 PAIRS TO CHOOSE FROM

OUT THEY GO AT LOWEST PRICES ON RECORD

It has been our custom for the last several seasons to scoop up the entire surplus stock of the renowned Stag Brand (union-made) Pants. Again this season we are in a position to offer these celebrated Outing, Dress and Business Pants at prices that are less than 50c on the dollar. Read the remarkably low prices below, come here tomorrow—when you see the goods you'll be more than surprised at these wonderful bargains.

Khaki Pants

For Men and Young Men

\$1.25 Values

Made in light and medium shades of tan khaki cloth—see these goods displayed in our show windows—out they go at.....

62c

PANTS

For Men and Young Men

\$1.50 Values

Made of cassimere cloth—including "Stag Brand (union made) Pants"—see them in our show windows—out they go at.....

69c

PANTS

For Men and Young Men

\$2.00 Values

Including "Stag Brand (union made) Pants"—see them in our show windows—out they go at.....

94c

PANTS

For Men and Young Men

\$3.00 Values

Including "Stag Brand (union made) Pants"—see them in our show windows—out they go at.....

\$1.44

PANTS

For Men and Young Men

\$4.00 Values

Including "Stag Brand (union made) Pants"—see them in our show windows—out they go at.....

\$1.88

PANTS

For Men and Young Men

\$6.00 Values

Including "Stag Brand (union made) Pants"—see them in our show windows—out they go at.....

\$2.88

Open Saturday Night

Until 9 O'Clock

During July and August

WELL

N. W. COR. 8TH AND WASHINGTON AV.

BOYS' CLOTHES

\$3.50 Boys' Norfolk Suits—all sizes—all colors—patch pocket models—out they go.....	\$1.66
\$5 Boys' All-wool Blue Serge Suits—all sizes—patch pocket models—out they go at.....	\$2.90
\$6 and 7 Boys' Suits—all sizes—pure wool materials—have 2 pairs of pants—out they go.....	\$3.33
50c Boys' Knickerbockers—sizes 6 to 15—made of strong cassimeres—out they go at.....	22c
75c Cassimere and Tan Khaki Pants—sizes 6 to 17—splendid quality materials—out they go at.....	37c
\$1.25 Boys' All-wool Knicker Pants—sizes 6 to 17—many lined—all colors—out they go.....	59c
\$1.25 Boys' All-wool Blue Serge Pants—sizes 6 to 17—lined—out they go at.....	66c
\$1.50 Boys' All-wool Knicker Pants—sizes 6 to 18—beautiful colors, also blue serge—out they go at.....	89c

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Until 9 O'Clock

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THE LINDELL STORE

"IT PAYS TO PAY CASH"
WASHINGTON AV. and EIGHTH ST.

During July and August Our Store Closes Saturdays
at 1 P. M. Other Days 5 P. M.

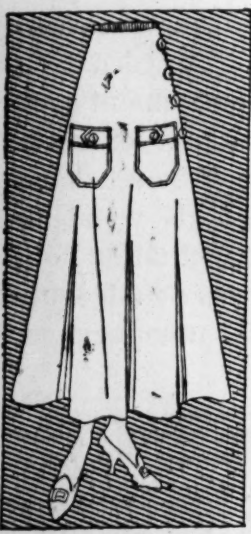
Buy in a Hurry

if you wish. You are safe at **THE LINDELL**. We take back any unsatisfactory merchandise and refund your money.

Pay Cash and Save

Everybody else does—at **THE LINDELL**.

Saturday Until 1 P. M. \$1.50 Pique Skirts



88c

Neat narrow wale piques, white and fresh and refreshing! Two patch pockets—all sizes.

Skirts, \$1.15

Excellent quality piques; new, pretty, good styles. Pockets and belts.

Suits, \$6.75

Fine, genuine Palm Beach cloth. Latest models and finest \$10.00 values.

(Third Floor.)

Women's Hats, 79c

in an Extraordinary
Saturday Sale

Sports Hats, Outing Hats, Velvet Tams and some Trimmed Hats—pretty and new! Values are \$1.00, \$2.00 to \$3.00. Hats for both women and misses.

(Millinery—Third Floor.)



1000 All New and Fresh

Waists and Blouses, \$1



The daintiest of fancy striped voiles. Organdy Waists with fine pin tucks, Country Club style.

Beautiful Embroidered Batiste Waists.

Crossbar Rice Cloth Waists, with Quaker collars edged with Venice lace.

And this only begins the cataloging of the very pretty, all new Waists and Blouses that we have for midday—all at \$1.00.

\$2 White Organdy Waists, \$1.40

With inserts of filet lace and embroidered floral sprays and fancy lace collars.

At \$1.95—White Voile Waists with embroidered organdy panels. Fronts and sleeves trimmed with Val. lace.

At \$2.15—Beautiful white organdies in several different patterns of dainty hand embroidery; lace collars and short sleeves. (Third Floor.)

Men—Don't Fail to See Our Men's Genuine Palm Beach Suits

\$7.50 Values **\$4.50** Genuine Label in Every Suit

Long, short, tall, stout, slim—Suits that fit all. Plenty of good dark shades. (Palm Beach Room—Second Floor.)

FURNISHINGS

FOR MEN!

\$1.50 Shirts, \$1.15

Silk bosoms and cuffs; soie-ette bodies to match; beautiful patterns; sizes 14 to 17.

Boston Garters, 15c

Boston or Paris Pad—your choice. All colors and black and white.

75c Union Suits, 38c

Nainsook, crepe, pongee, woven madras; all with closed crotch and elastic back; sizes 34 to 46.

\$1 Sport Shirts, 87c

Plain white or fancy; finest kind for outings; sizes 14 to 17.

Main Floor—Washington Av.

ADJUT. GEN. O'MEARA PRAISES WORK OF FIRST REGIMENT

Troops Compare Favorably
With Regulars in Efficiency
and Discipline, He Says.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

LOUISIANA, Mo., July 15.—Camp O'Meara, where the First Regiment, National Guard of Missouri, is engaged in annual tactical maneuvers, is the scene of bustle and activity, due to the arrival yesterday afternoon of John B. O'Meara, Adjutant General of Missouri, in whose honor the camp is named. Gen. O'Meara will remain for the balance of the week, and a review will be given in his honor Saturday evening.

"I have never seen, as fine a body of men," said Gen. O'Meara. "And it is the biggest camp as regards enlisted strength ever held by the National Guard of Missouri. These men, in discipline and efficiency, would compare favorably with regulars in actual battle, and Col. Donnelly deserves credit for bringing about this high standard."

Gen. O'Meara said that while in point of enlisted strength Missouri's National Guard ranks seventh in the United States, as regards State appropriations Missouri ranks twenty-seventh. Illinois, with a National Guard of approximately the same strength, receives an appropriation of \$300,000, while Missouri gives but \$80,000.

Says Guard is Too Modest.

"The trouble with the National Guard of this State," he said, "is that it has been too modest. I want the public to know how unjustly we are being treated."

Gen. O'Meara is acting as disbursing officer for the Government, and will pay off the soldiers when camp is broken. Officers and men will be paid at regular rates by the Government for one week's service.

Brigadier-General Harvey C. Clark, commanding the National Guard of Missouri, departed yesterday afternoon for a visit to the encampment of the Second Regiment at Aurora, Mo. Gen. Clark expressed himself as being very well satisfied with the progress shown by the regiment.

The Second Battalion, commanded by Capt. Edmund J. McMahon, and the Third Battalion, commanded by Maj. Alexander B. Melville, advanced from camp yesterday morning and attacked the First Battalion, commanded by Maj. R. E. Gruner, entrenched in the hills southeast of the camp. Capt. Charles M. Gordon, Lieut. Frederick B. Terrell and Lieut. Oscar W. Hoop, United States army officers, acted as umpires. They rendered no decision, as yesterday was the first day of a three-day workout on the military program. Each battalion will be given a chance at the attack and defense.

Regiment Parades Through Town.

Yesterday afternoon the regiment paraded through Louisiana. Battalion dress parade was held last evening in honor of Col. Nelson G. Edwards and Capt. Fred L. English, both retired. Capt. English was formerly commander of the First Regiment. They were placed in charge of the parade by order of Col. Donnelly.

Late this afternoon the men will be drilled in fire control and advancing under cover in open order. Lectures will be given, in which both privates and officers will be required to solve tactical problems and to show elementary knowledge, at least, of marching and camp sanitation.

The Forest Camps

and the Lodges by the Lakes—Like sweet singers of the summer-time, are sending their calls to the city toiler. See the Resort and Country Board offers on the first page, especially Sunday.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

August Dorte, 1904 President
Minnie Wasson, 3539 Salvo
Albert A. Lund, 4127 Shenandoah
Mrs. Dixie Wells Manning, 3943 Plymouth
Anton Dookal, 1043 Seward
Marie Metz, 1725 S. 11th
Roy C. Walters, 1313 N. 20th
Minnie Meyer, 1313 N. 20th
Fred Wm. Schlotmann, 3841A Sherman
Ellen Bergfeld, 1404 Monroe
Fred W. Dietzler, 1801 St. Louis
Emilie Schuessler, 1404 Monroe
Russell Adams, 4063 West Belle
Robana Hill, 4121 Fairfax
Charles Judd, 1001 Louisville, Ky.
Mrs. Alice Jones, 1001 Louisville, Ky.
Archibald Martin, 2040 Papin
Harold Jones, 4271 West Belle
George McCain Jr., Highland, Ill.
Irma Dersch, Highland, Ill.
Karl Ivanio, 859 Harland
Katie Lux, 715 Dordieue
Paul Redig Jr., 2208 Chestnut
Anna B. Hurt, 2208 Chestnut
James Robinson, 4418 Forest Park
Minnie Franka, 3408 Lawton
Casper S. Vost Jr., 3035 Page
Cass Papandani, 1948 Palm

Solid Gold Wedding Rings, \$3 to \$25.
JACCARD'S Broadway, cor. Locust.

BIRTHS RECORDED.

J. and A. Mastubakis, 1117 Howard; boy.
J. and G. Kennedy, 3227 Conde; boy.
J. and E. Mooringhoff, 3038 Ashland; boy.
J. and K. Bokermann, 3739 Lee; boy.
M. and C. Jensen, 4031 Vandalia; boy.
L. and N. Huelsenmann, 2424 N. Grand; boy.
T. and A. O'Keefe, 4277 Labadie; boy.
H. and C. Paine, 7717 1/2 Ivory; boy.
T. and S. Taylor, 7381 Locust; boy.
T. and I. Hafz, 1105 S. 11th; boy.
C. and N. Scharpenburg, 510 St. Joseph; boy.
C. and N. Star, 909 Buier; boy.
A. and M. Orino, 2240 Blachoff; boy.
A. and A. Calcester, 5130 Patton; boy.
M. and A. Landwehr, 4008 Greenleaf; boy.
M. and J. Seabo, 216 Salisbury; boy.
G. and F. Purcell, 5130 Daggett; boy.
H. and M. Beck, 5115 Prescott; boy.
H. and C. Hill, 4035 Kosuth; girl.
W. and A. Richels, 3724
E. and L. Crossmyer, 1721 Ohio; girl.
A. and J. George, 3426 Baccus; girl.
C. and E. Rerkemper, 5302 Labadie; girl.
C. and A. Clark, 3601 N.
A. and P. Hazelski, 3835 Florence; girl.
A. and C. Walsh, 5114A Michigan; girl.
J. and D. Rostenhagen, 4018A California; girl.
J. and J. Cavasano, 5454 E. Broadway; girl.
H. and B. Fluerke, 1901 De Soto; girl.
L. and F. Whitaker, 512 Rutger; girl.
A. and E. White, 1229 N. Sarah; girl.

BURIAL PERMITS.

T. Rossi, 78, 929 N. 9th; sclerosis.
C. F. Bauser, 56, 2810 Olive; nephritis.
H. Langstead, 59, 3652 S. Jefferson; dysentery.
J. Hart, 47, 710 N. 6th; nephritis.
R. A. Landerman, 40, 4010 Lindbergh; pneumonia.
W. Austin, 48, 1829 S. 14th; carcinoma.
H. W. Jones, 51, 4008 Alamo; epithelioma.
H. O. Harn, 50, 624 Reilly; typhoid.
Dierker, 51, 3054 Nevada; typhoid.
Anton Brockelman, 5, 5116 Geyer; pneumonia.
E. Kisch, 54, 1208 Geyer; cancer.
W. F. Baum, 74, 1414 Chestnut; nephritis.

Six Months' Progress OF THE ST. LOUIS

POST-DISPATCH

GROWTH Is a Law of Nature

A newspaper must go forward or backward.
The POST-DISPATCH is constantly expanding!
Outgrowing one home after another.

Even its great sextuple and octuple presses shout continually "Give us Room," "Give us Room!"

The big, new up-to-date Home for the POST-DISPATCH at the northeast corner of 12th and Olive streets is now being designed, which will embody, when completed, every feature of the most modern newspaper plants of the world, together with many new and exclusive features for the special needs of St. Louis' "One Big Newspaper."

The following tables tell of a few of the achievements of the POST-DISPATCH in circulation and advertising for the

First 6 Months, 1915

Total volume of legitimate advertising carried by the 5 daily newspapers of St. Louis:

POST-DISPATCH	5,591,880	AGATE LINES
Globe-Democrat	3,303,000	"
Republic	2,018,700	"
Times	1,806,600	"
Star	1,408,500	"

During this brief period of 6 months the POST-DISPATCH carried 270,180 lines more of legitimate paid advertising than its two nearest competitors, the Globe and Republic, combined.

In the same period the POST-DISPATCH exceeded 3 out of all four of its competitors, Republic, Times and Star, added together by 358,080 agate lines.

Automobile Advertising

The Post-Dispatch completely outclassed its nearest competitor in automobile advertising by 19,215 lines and beat 3 out of all 4 of the other papers, Republic, Times and Star COMBINED, by 44,001 lines.

The automobile manufacturers and dealers bought space in each of the five St. Louis daily newspapers, during the past 6 months as follows:

POST-DISPATCH	251,927	AGATE LINES
Globe-Democrat	232,712	"
Republic	113,087	"
Times	60,300	"
Star	34,539	"

If, as all experts agree, automobile advertising is the standard by which "quality" circulation is gauged—the Post-Dispatch is pre-eminent in Quality as well as Quantity.

"WANTS"

The legitimate "Wants" of a newspaper, is the best evidence of its popularity and pulling power. In this important respect the Post-Dispatch always exceeds 2 or 3 and often all 4 of the other St. Louis papers combined.

The Post-Dispatch is the greatest classified want medium in the United States. Here are the totals of "want ads" for the 5 St. Louis daily papers for the first six months of 1915:

These figures show that the Post-Dispatch alone, was only 3445 ads behind all four of its competitors added together. A record unequalled by any other metropolitan newspaper in the entire country.

POST-DISPATCH	323,326	WANT ADS
Globe-Democrat	159,915	"
Republic	83,515	"
Times	46,424	"
Star	36,917	"

CIRCULATION

That Creates Advertising and Sells the Goods

The Post-Dispatch alone covers St. Louis and its contiguous territory like a blanket. St. Louis is known as a "one-paper town," and the Post-Dispatch is the one paper.

The sales of the Big Sunday Post-Dispatch are only equaled or exceeded by four Sunday newspapers in the United States—2 in New York and 2 in Chicago.

AVERAGE CIRCULATION

First 6 Months, 1915:

Sunday Sales **350,066**

Daily and Sunday . **204,479**

ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH.

"FIRST IN EVERYTHING"

Foreign Representatives: The S. O. Beckwith Special Agency, Tribune Building, New York and Chicago; Third National Bank Building, St. Louis.



sels we proceeded to Antwerp where we were arrested by the Carde Clivique on the station platform. My poor wife was huried on with the butt ends of the guards' rifles. As she took no heed of this, she was struck across both legs with a rifle and was injured. We witnessed most pitiable scenes. A child, nine years, was so frightened that it refused to follow the others and clung with both hands to the railings at the exit; a garde civique hit it with its saber and cut its left hand off.

"An Austrian couple, who had owned a restaurant at Antwerp for the last 16 years was terribly ill-treated by the inq. The poor woman had one of her eyes pierced with a fork while her husband had two fingers cut off. Another Austrian woman was expelled from a 'maternity' home with her baby which was only five days old. She had neither dress nor shirt on her body, which was only covered with a dirty bed sheet. It was a heart-rending scene yet it did not prevent a garde civile from making fun of her in a shameless manner.' It was such a 'comedy,' very amusing. 'Indeed.'"

With reference to the treatment of Austro-Hungarian nationals in France, the chief complaint was against the hardships imposed upon innocent women and children in the concentration camps. A deposition of Miss M. E. Schreiner, a graduate nurse, pictures conditions in a convent at Garalson to which Austrians, Hungarians and Germans were ordered after a march of 20 kilometers. Here they were informed that they were prisoners of war.

1000 Herded Together.

"There were altogether about 100 prisoners," declared Miss Schreiner, "half of whom were women and children. There was no furniture available and straw was the sole bedding. Under the pretext of a fire, the prisoners were boarded up and holes in the ground were dug by the male prisoners in lieu of other arrangements. There were no provisions made for washing * * * Insufficiency of food and the weather conditions soon brought about serious illnesses such as dysentery, and in consequence of the inadequate latrines, epidemic broke out. * * * Two women were confined and had to put

Other cases cited included the "maelicious punishment, rough medical attendance by a veterinary surgeon," and the "horrific molestation of interbred French soldiers" at Sabbes "d'Ounne".

The young girls, "according to one of the depositions," were exposed to "carnal assaults by the soldiers. In the barracks, the girls were herded together in the same room, were made to sleep in the same room or stable with them. Modest specification of all the acts of infamy to which we had to be subjected, worse of all which was the worst, was that the French soldiers, who were unfortunately maltreated all those who opposed his immoral designs."

The Royal Hungarian Ministry of the Interior obtained on Jan. 11, 1915, a report of "the murder of interned Hungarians at Argenton-sur-Creuse, Angers, Bastide-St. Pierre, La Courtille, Garaison and Orville."

In Great Britain, insufficient food and accommodations, it is claimed, were accorded the interned nationals at Devonport and Newbury.

Checked by Kitchener.
 "Col. Haines" (presumably in charge of the detention camps), says a letter from Baron Gieska to Count Berchtold, "would have been quite willing to do something for the prisoners, but his humanitarian impulses were checked by Lord Kitchener."

Similar complaints are made of treatment of prisoners at Dorchester and

Twenty-seven cases of violations by Russia of the laws of warfare and 15 instances in which Serbia and Montenegro are accused of various atrocities are given in detailed affidavits selected from many more made by soldiers, officers and civilian officials. These include, in Russia, not only the use of mustard, bullets, fuses and other

Cases are record of looting and killing directed especially against Jewish civilians who also "were forced under the lash to work in the trenches during their holidays." Atrocities committed by the Cossacks, assassinations and robberies and wanton destruction, all

supported by concrete instances were verified, it is claimed, after the Austrians reoccupied the invaded territory where the alleged violations had occurred.

Poisoning of Wells.

In Servia and Montenegro, the participation of the civilian population in the fighting, the misuse of the white flag, the use of cartridges filled with white nails

and pieces of vitriol of copper, torture of prisoners, the poisoning of wells with lead bodies and mud, the firing upon the army service corps by women and children, mutilation of bodies and maltreatment of prisoners of war with insufficient food and accommodation, complete the list of atrocities committed by the Austrian army. Under the head of "Violations of the Laws of

**Hussung
"Getz"**

the Bugs!
Phone Olive 1265. 1130 Pine St.
Buy Here and Save Dollars
Men's and Boys' \$2.45
SAMPLE SHOES ..2 Up
INK'S, 111 N 6th St

DR. W. L. R. G. H. I.
DENTIST
announces the removal of his offices from
619 Olive Street to
SUITE 407 COMMERCIAL BLDG.
6th & Olive Bell. Main 880

**FINE NEW HOME-GROWN
POTATOES,
10c Per Bag**

100 PER CENT
A. MOLL GROCER CO.

5c Handkerchiefs

White hemstitched
Handkerchiefs
—5 kind—not
more than
five to a
customer—each.

2c

GREAT TWICE-A-YEAR

UNLOADING SALE

25c Wash Ties

Very handsome
wash Four-
in-Hands—
25c values
reduced to..

19c

10c Handkerchiefs

Fine quality sheer
cambrie hem-
stitched Hand-
kerchiefs—
full size—

4c

UNLOADING SALE

\$1 & \$1.25 Shirts

Good assortment of
men's soft and
laundered
Coat Shirts—
\$1.00 and
\$1.25 values..

89c

Exceptional Bargains in Men's and Young Men's Suits

YOUNG MEN'S \$5 AND \$7.50 SUITS	YOUNG MEN'S \$8.50 & \$10 SUITS	MEN'S \$10 BLUE SERGE SUITS	MEN'S \$12.50 AND \$15 SUITS
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Dressy \$16 and \$18 Suits \$9.85 Think of buying fine \$16.00 and \$18.00 Suits at \$9.85—that's what we offer you tomorrow in this great sale—profit by it. . . .

Finest \$20 and \$22.50 Suits \$13.65 Now we are talking about the finest qualities—handsome Suits in rich blue serges, shadow stripes, pin checks, pencil stripes and black and white checks—actual \$20.00 and \$22.50 suits in this sale at \$13.65.

Boys' 35c Wash Pants 18c **Here You Are—Another Big Cut in Boys' Wash Suits** **Boys' Wash Ties 10c values 5c** **Men's 50c Drawers** **\$1 Union Suits**

Boys' 50c Blouses cut to... **24c**

Boys' 75c Wash Suits, 39c
Boys' \$1.50 Wash Suits, 77c

Boys' 25c Underwear per garment... **12c**

Men's 50c Underwear
 Crossbar and plain nainsook un... **39c**

Men's \$1.50 Shirts
 Our regular line of \$1.50 shirts... **\$1.15**

\$2.50 Union Suits
Fine "Imperial" drop seat Suits—most comfortable
\$1.95

Straw Hats, \$1.00 kind, at..... 23c
Every double-breasted Suit that sold up to \$5—coats, full cut knickerbockers—broken sizes only.

A limited number of new Norfolk Suits in neat patterns—special values at this price.

Suit that sold for \$10.00—pants full lined and made with french pockets and belt loops—ages 10 to 17 only.

Child's Rompers, 50c value, for..... 19c

Men's 35c Belts
Leather tubulars and strap belts—35c values—to
19c

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LOW RATE EXCURSION
SUNDAY JULY 25th

GRAND CENTRAL PARK Madison Ave. N. Y. City **Excursion Next Sunday**
 That Brilliant Musical Comedy
"THE HEART-BREAKERS"
 Introducing Roy Purviance, Leading
 Train, specialty engaged.
CHENNAIDAN Excellence Week for
Excursion Next Sunday
VINCENNES and Other Stations.
BALTIMORE & OHIO
SOUTHWESTERN
 Train leaves 7:15 A. M. Baltimore
 Exchanges, Lobbies, Parlors, Galleries and Solariums, affording pleasing views and
 beautiful promenades, the whole combining into a harmonious vision of grandeur and
 beauty, while replete with the cozy group sections of home, and yet affording
 full view of the pleasing panorama of the resort life. In this essential the
 Marylander, Maryland stands without an equal in Atlantic City or elsewhere.
 In "Ownership Management" while accounting for its unique reputation, is a
 measure of the high character of its management.

<p>Pool-Dancing-Dance Concerts.</p>	<p>The Only id Bathing Beach.</p>	<p>day upward. Write for descriptive booklet of Bath House. J. R. Hayes, Prop., Detroit, Mich.</p>	<p>JOSIAH WHITE & SONS COMPANY</p>
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Schaper
STORES CO.
BROADWAY & FRANKLIN

Women's pure thread
double soles, high
spliced heels (Main Fl.)... 15c

Bungalow Aprons

25c seller; of fine washable
mercerized; tone bound 15c

Men's Straw Hats
\$2 and \$3 samples; in all the different braids, in asst. sizes (Main Fl.)... **25c**

Girls' Middies

Voiles and crepes; lace
trimmed; special Sat-
urday (Second Floor).... **42c**

Of good quality silk;
double soles, heels and
toes (Main Floor)..... 50

Huck Towels

A special lot; size
18x36; to sell at 50

Child's \$3 Hats
Assorted styles and
trimmings: Saturday
(Second Floor)..... 35c

71½c Calicoes

Walkover Shoes
For men: assorted
sizes; special Sat.
only (Main Fl.)..... **69c**

35c Leather Bags
Nice assortment; with
inside purse and mir-
ror; Sat. (Main Fl.)..... **18c**

49c Linoleum

25c Boudoir Cape
Beautiful line: in lawn
and lace (Main
Floor)..... **10c**

Good substantial
makes: special
(Main Floor)..... **25c**

Lawn Swings. \$2.98

47c

\$1 Lawn Benches 39c

5 ft. and 4 ft. long;
slightly defective;
floor samples
(Fourth Floor)..... **39c**

<p>\$1 Union Suits Nainsook, athletic and kind—at...</p>	<p>Boys' Union Suits 50c value</p>	<p>00c</p>	<p>Boys' \$1.50 Serg. Pants</p>	<p>\$2 Union Suits Knitted and cut fab-</p>
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Crossbar and plain nainsook un- dershirts and sleeve drawers —including "Poroskint"...	29c
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Boys' Stockings 15c kind now at.....	8c
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Boys' \$1.50 Wash Suits, 77c		
Boys' \$5.00	Boys' \$2.50	Boys' \$10.00
SUITS	SUITS	SUITS

\$1 Bathing Suits for.....	49c
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S. E. CORNER EIGHTH & WASHINGTON AV.

Chicago, Ill. and return	\$1.50	Drivers, Ill. and return	\$1.50
Indianapolis, Ind. and return	.....	\$1.50	St. Vernon, Ill. and return	.....	\$1.50
Keokuk, Iowa, and return	.....	\$1.25			
Nebraska, Ill. and return	.....	\$1.50			
St. Louis, Mo. and return	.....	\$1.50			
St. Paul, Minn. and return	.....	\$1.25			

Special train will leave Union Station, St. Louis, 5:34 a. m. and Relay Depot, East St. Louis, 5:52 a. m., returning arrive St. Louis and City Ticket Office at 12:15 p. m.

St. Louis and City Ticket Office, 100 North 4th St. Telephone: Bell, Olive 2369. Kinloch, Central 1049.

G. E. HERRING, Division Passenger Agent

THEATRE
SHENANDOAH Farewell Week for the Troupes of **THE PLAYERS** Mat. Wed., Sat. Sun. Forty-five Minutes from Broadway. Seals on Sale Both Theaters at Famous-Barry and Grand-Leader, 16c-10c-50c.
THEATRE
SOUTHWESTERN Train leaves 2:58 A.M. Returning, arrives St. Louis at 5:00 P.M. Tickets: 10c N. 7th St., and at Union Station.
HOTELS. It makes a specialty of its high-class music every evening throughout the year, with special Sunday night solo features. *Rowen, the most famous*, highest Tenor in the world, singing without an equal in Atlantic City or elsewhere. Its "Ownership Management" while accounting for its unique reputation, is a guaranty of the high character of its patronage and the unexcelled quality of its service and cuisine. It employs only white service in both its American and a la carte dining rooms.

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Duffy, Greatest Play & Novel
NEW YORK TONIGHT—Place Day
Game Stars at 7 p. m.
Reserve seats on sale at Mackey &
Spiro's, 517 Olive St.
Sage School Program
Saturday, July 11—Mabel Talliferro in
"The Three of Us." Sunday, July 12—
Mary Emerson in "The Eagle's Mate."
The Post-Dispatch in the St. Louis even-
ing field
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BAILEY AFFIDAVIT AS TO FITZPATRICK STIRS UNION MEN

The revelation in the affidavit of Edgar G. Bailey, who was paroled, July 4, after he had served in the penitentiary 10 years of a life sentence for murder for killing a nonunion cab driver in a Kansas City strike, published in yesterday's Post-Dispatch, that he had paid State Labor Commissioner John T. Fitzpatrick more than \$700 for his influence and work toward obtaining a pardon for him, created a stir among union labor leaders in St. Louis.

Although the statements contained in the affidavit have been known to leaders among union men, they were not generally known before their publication.

Several of these leaders told a Post-Dispatch reporter that no member of the union labor was authorized to speak about the matter until it had been considered by the Central Trades and Labor Union. He said the affidavit would be read at the meeting of the central organization and that Fitzpatrick's statements

WOMAN, 79, HURT BY STREET CAR

Mrs. Fredericka Bauer, 79 years old, of 1923 Iowa avenue, was knocked down by a Compton street car while crossing Nebraska avenue, between Russell and Allen avenues, last night. She was taken to the city hospital, where it was found she was cut on the scalp and hurt internally.

ARCHBISHOP'S ESTATE \$20,000

CHICAGO, July 16.—Archbishop James Edward Quigley left an estate valued at \$20,000, it was revealed today, when his will was read. The estate consisted of \$15,000 in cash and the rest in life insurance.

It is understood that the estate will be equally distributed among the prelate's brothers and sisters.

FLOODS MENACE MANY TOWNS IN CENTRAL OHIO

Conditions Threaten to Approach Those of 1913, When More Than 500 Lost Lives

COLUMBUS, O., July 16.—With rivers swollen by torrential rains that have fallen during the last 10 days, many points in Central Ohio were menaced today by floods which threatened to approach the magnitude of the great flood of March, 1913, when more than 500 persons were drowned and property damage aggregating many million dollars resulted.

The Ottawa River has overrun large areas in both Lima and Kenton. Several villages in that section were cut off from communication.

In Columbus an old levee on the northwest side broke early today, flooding at city blocks. Both the Clevelândia and Scioto rivers continued to rise today as a result of a cloudburst during the night.

More Than 200 Homes Under Water at Lima, O.
LIMA, O., July 16.—The Ottawa River today flooded low parts of Lima, driving families there to the higher portions of the city and tearing out bridges and viaducts. Since midnight the river has risen six inches an hour, and at 1 a. m. was within 15 inches of high water mark of 1913.

More than 200 homes under water. Every policeman and fireman in the city was kept on duty all night aiding in rescue work. One woman died from burns received when gas in the cellar was exploded and a lamp she was carrying threw burning oil over her. Rising waters had put out gas under a water heater, and she went to investigate.

Flood Conditions in Northwestern Missouri Improved.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 16.—Although there was more rain in some of the flood-stricken districts of Northwest Missouri today, it was not heavy and the high-water situation was generally improved. Last night flood waters carried out two big bridges on 102 River, several miles east of St. Joseph. Railroad service north and east of St. Joseph is prostrated. Train service on some roads is entirely abandoned and on others schedules are demoralized because of high water and washouts. It is likely that regular train service on a number of branch lines will not be resumed for weeks. The damage to the railroads is estimated at a million dollars and it is said that it will take months to repair the tracks and road beds.

ARREST OF NEGRO GAMBLES
WITNESS IS INVESTIGATED
Sumner Jenkins Says One of Indicted Men Threatened to Have Him "Run Out of Town."

William Baer, assistant Circuit Attorney, asked Chief Young today to investigate the arrest of Sumner Jenkins of 201 Chestnut street, a negro, on whose testimony Sam Andrews, a negro proprietor of a barber shop at 319 Laclede avenue, was indicted by the grand jury on charges of running a gambling game. Jenkins says there was no ground for the arrest, and Baer wishes to find out whether this is true.

Jenkins said Andrews threatened that, if he were indicted, Jenkins would be "run out of town." Two indictments against Andrews were returned Tuesday, and Wednesday night Jenkins was arrested by Special Officer Logan, a negro.

Baer was told of the arrest yesterday by Special Officer Cooper, a negro, who has done effective work against gambling. Baer called up the Laclede avenue station, and was told that Jenkins was held on a charge of larceny. Within half an hour from the time of Baer's inquiry, Jenkins was released. He said the larceny charge had been made by a habitué of Andrews' barber shop, who accused him of stealing some old clothes. So far as Baer could learn, Jenkins was never arrested before.

WOMAN HURT BY MOTOR CYCLE
Mrs. Isabel Neuhaus, 54 years old, of 1023 Humphrey street, was knocked down at Sixth street and Washington avenue this morning by a motor cycle which was being driven east in the westbound car track. According to the police, the rider, James Duroso, of 803 South Tenth street tried to get away, but he was knocked from his wheel by two men, who held him until policemen took him. At the Central Dispensary Mrs. Neuhaus' bruised left arm and knee were bandaged. She then went to the Circuit Attorney's office, accompanied by a policeman. Nelson Thomas, Assistant Circuit Attorney, refused to act, saying the woman had not been seriously hurt. Duroso was then booked for Police Court on a charge of carelessness. He is 23 years old and is a railroad employee.

GIRL POISONED BY MOSQUITO
Miss Gladys Haller in Hospital as Result of Bite.
Miss Gladys Haller, of 1817 Portia avenue, daughter of President Julius Haller of the Board of Aldermen, is recovering at the Missouri Baptist Sanitarium from an attack of blood poisoning which at one time seemed to threaten her life, and which resulted from a mosquito bite.

She was bitten on the ankle, four weeks ago, while sitting on the lawn in front of her home. Scratching caused the bite to become inflamed and the swelling spread until physicians pronounced it dangerous. She is now believed to be out of danger and is expected to be at home within a few days. Miss Haller's engagement to Alexander D. Smith was announced recently.

UNITED RAILWAYS GETTING BACK ITS LOST BUSINESS

Carried More Passengers in Last Three Months Than in Preceding Ones, Report Shows.

Statistics filed by the United Railways with the City Register reveal that in the three months ending June 30, the company began to get back the business which followed the depression beginning about the time the European war started.

The report shows that for the three months the company's cars carried 2,138,698 more passengers than during the preceding three months. The number, however, was 6,224,378 less than for the three months ending June 30, 1914.

Comparison of the reports shows that in carrying the additional 2,138,698 passengers the company crowded its cars more than in the preceding three months, its cars making a total of only 2,423 more trips.

Officials of the United Railways insist that the reduction in travel on the cars over a corresponding period last year is due mainly to a business depression, and not to the advent of jitneys into the transportation field. Company employees who counted traffic on Locust street last week, however, reported that in the morning there were 385 eastbound jitneys and in the afternoon 52 westbound jitneys. If these averaged only five passengers each, and none were figured for the westbound in the morning or eastbound in the afternoon, more than 400 passengers would be shown to be doing jitneys daily.

For the three months period just ended the cars of the company made 1,535,368 trips. An average of 1223 cars were used week days, 1157 Saturdays and 738 Sundays. For the previous three months the number of trips was 1,565,294. The average number of cars in daily service was 1248, Saturdays 1182 and Sundays 717.

Out in the Unbroken Forests
Where the mountain stream rumbles and tumbles over the picturesque rocks into the clear lake teeming with fish—what more could a vacationist desire? See the Resort and Country Board of officers on the first want page, especially Sunday.

MORGAN SEES RESOLUTE WIN
Financier Witnesses Yacht Race From the Corsair.
NEW YORK, July 16.—J. Pierpont Morgan, who was shot at by Frank Holt, was aboard his yacht the Corsair, yesterday afternoon off Sandy Hook and saw the Resolute win the right to defend the America's cup by beating the Vandalia. The Resolute made the 30-mile triangular course in 4 hours 17 minutes 21 seconds, leading all the way.

THE man who is enjoying life today is the man who has been fitted by one of our optometrists with a pair of sun-proof colored glasses. For outdoor sports they are an absolute necessity.

Optical examinations are free.
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1002 Olive

Liver and Bowels Right.
Always Feel Fine
There's one right way to speedily tone up the liver and keep the bowels regular.

Carter's Little Liver Pills never fail. Millions will testify that there is nothing so good for biliousness, indigestion, headache or sorrow, simply skin. Purely vegetable.
Small Pill—Small Dose—Small Price
GENUINE must bear signature

The Little Folks
as well as the grown-ups love
CORNWALL'S
HEALTHY DRINK
For this delightful, cooling Summer beverage is a real health drink, and is
ABSOLUTELY
PURE.
Ask Your Grocer

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Luncheon Served in Tea Room Until 1 O'Clock

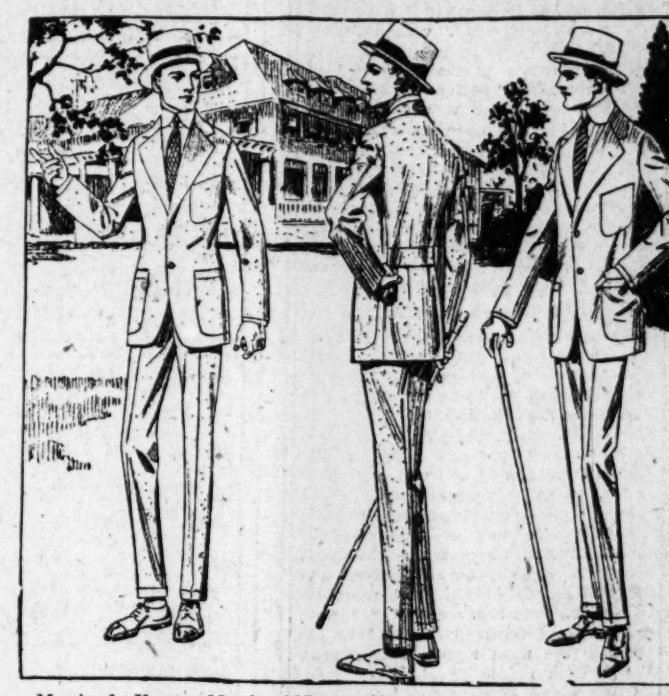
Store Closes Saturday at 1 O'Clock

In accord to our Summer welfare plans, we close the doors Saturday at 1 o'clock. Every phase of the store's service is keyed to highest efficiency to accomplish the Saturday's business in the half-day session. Special values are quoted for the consideration of Saturday morning shoppers.

Men on Every Hand Will Plan to Be Here Saturday to Share in

Our Great \$11 Clothing Sale

In Which \$15, \$18, \$20 & \$22.50 Spring & Summer Suits for Men & Young Men Are Now Marked



\$11
Hundreds upon hundreds of Suits are included in this sale—all taken from our well-chosen regular stocks, & being the suits that are in first demand among particular men. A most satisfying range of materials, such as worsteds, fancy cassimeres, tatan & club checks, pencil stripes, mixtures, tropical worsteds, homespuns & flannels, to say nothing of plenty of blue serges & plain black worsteds.

All suits are sold with the Famous-Barr Co. warranty of satisfactory service.
Sizes for men of every shape & build from 32 to 50.

\$15 Silk-Lined Cool Cloth Suits \$9.75
They are expertly tailored from genuine cool cloth fabrics in several patterns, plain gray or tan, fancy stripes, gray & brown, gray snowflake weaves. These are made in newest golf coat model with shirred back & 1/2 belt, 1-16 silk lined & silk sleeves. All sizes from 34 to 44.

\$15, \$18, \$20 & \$22.50 Mohair Suits \$12
All Hamburger Mohair Suits, tearing the label & guarantee & made in accord to the Hamburger high standard of tailoring of Priestley cravenetted mohair. Plain blue & black shadow stripes, pencil stripes & checks, gray stripes & plaids are shown. All sizes for regulars, slims, stouts, 32 to 52.

Palm Beach Suits at \$5 \$6.50 & \$7.75
At each price, Suits that are wonders in value, all made from the genuine London shrunken Palm Beach cloth, & all well tailored. Natural tan shade, silk stripes, Oxford & blue with white chalk stripes are the patterns that have first call, & are plentifully shown in these.

Men's \$2 & \$2.50 Straw Hats

\$1
Weeks ahead of the customary dollar sale. Purchases from New York importers & makers of straw hats have refreshed this lot so that choosing is all one can wish for. Sennit, split, Porto Ricans, Manila & rough straws are included in the lot in the most wanted shapes.

\$3, \$4 & \$5 Fine Straw Hats at... \$1.95
\$5 & \$7.50 S. American Panamas... \$3.45
\$3 & \$4 Japanese Panamas... \$2.25
\$4 & \$5 Bangkoks & Leghorns... \$2.25
\$1.50 & \$2 Silk Outing Hats... \$1.50
Main Floor, Aisle 10

Women's Bathing Suits
\$1.98 to \$2.49. Knit Bathing Suits, trunk attached, trimmed with self-color or braid, \$1.59.
\$4.98 all-wool knit, the popular Annette Kellerman Bathing Suits, with wide Roman striped grosgrain ribbon sashes, \$4.39.
50c Bathing Caps, 19c.
50c Bathing Sandals, 29c.
Women's 50c Bathing Tights, full length, 39c.
Third Floor

Men's Bathing Suits
50c kind, clearing, 23c.
65c kind, clearing, 35c.
\$1 to \$1.25 kind, 69c.
\$1.50 to \$1.75 kind, \$1.18.
\$2.25 to \$2.50 kind, \$1.48.
15% discount on all other Bathing Suits in our stock from \$2 up.
Main Floor, Aisle 8

Children's \$5 to \$5.95 White Dresses, \$3.95
Smart styles of voile, lingerie & organdie, in all white, pink & light blue, sizes 6 to 16 years.
To \$10 white hand-made Dresses, smocked & hand-embroidered, sizes 6, 8 & 10, at \$5.
\$7 & \$8 Lingerie, Organdie & Voile, sizes 6 to 14 years, sizes, \$5.95.
Third Floor

It's Good News to Women That There Are Enough Left Saturday of These
\$3.00, \$3.50 & \$4.00 Tub Skirts
at **\$1.55**
Easily the most remarkable lot of skirts we have had this season—judged from standpoint of styles, materials, making & value.
52 striking models—each new & each different—less than half the regulars to pay in most instances.
Materials are linen, imported pique, beach cloth, cotton gabardine, natural linen, plain & fancy striped ratine, cretonne & madras cloth in white, tan, black & white, checks & floral designs. All sizes for women & misses.
Third Floor

Photo Postals
Made Saturday morning at 12 for 49c.
Main Floor, Sixth Floor

Famous-Barr Co.
ENTIRE BLOCK OLIVE LOCUST SIXTH AND SEVENTH STS.
Largest Distributors of Handmade and Machine-Made Postals for 25 Cents or 50 Cents in Merchandise. Few Restricted Articles Are Excepted.

REMLEY'S
"6TH & FRANKLIN" "WHERE THE CROWDS GO"
Watch the Scales—Compare the Quality—You Will Find We Lead 'Em All

Potatoes 5c
PER PECK, 9c
HOMEGROWN, large, smooth (no where on earth can you duplicate them at any price).

SPRING LAMB
Genuine 1915 Chops... 15c
Hindquarters, 12c
Forequarters, 10c
Stew... 9c
Shoulders... 11c

CHUCK ROAST
Finest on earth; no finer beef can be had at any cost.
12c
All value, lb.

ROLLED ROAST
All value, lb.
16c

DELICATESSEN SPECIAL
WHOLE SPICED POTATO SALAD... 10c
FISH SALAD... 10c
TUNA FISH SALAD... 10c
COLD BOILED TONGUE... 20c
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SUGAR-CURED BACON
3 to 5 at... 11c
Well cooked—no line on ear—1/2 or whole, per lb.

LARD LB. 8 3/4c
U. S. Insp. pure kettle rendered; other goods.

Boneless HAM
Boiled
10c
PICKLED PORK SHOULDERS... 10c
Fresh Pork... 10c
EGGS... 15c
Butter... 27c
Quaker Corn Flakes... 4 1/2c
Herring... 7c
Tomato Sauce... 7c

BRAG COFFEE
2 Cans, 15c
Jumbo Peanuts... 10c
Sugar... 17c
Claret Wine... 19c
OLD CHARTER... 85c
CAL. PORT OR SHERRY... 31c
Spaghetti or Macaroni... 6c
Vanilla Wafers... 10c
GINGER SNAPS... 5c
CANTALOUPE... 5c
WATER MELONS... 15c
BAKERY SPECIALS
LEMONADE... 1c
BUTTERMILK... 2c
Ice Cream Sundae... 5c
SANDWICHES... 3c
Hard Boiled Eggs... 2c
WATER MELON... 5c

Another Favorite
Movie Star
Lillian Gish in "The Birth of a Nation"
in the Rotogravure series
Next Sunday's Post-Dispatch

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Havoc Wrought in
Sedul Bahr Fortress
By the 15-inch guns of a British ex-
posed in the Rotogravure in
Next Sunday's Post-Dispatch

While the forces of destruction are at work around
the Sedul Bahr and Real Estate offices in the
Sunday Post-Dispatch will further encourage the
forces of destruction here.

COUNTESS DIANE'S LETTERS TO THE LATE J. P. MORGAN

Part of Them Become Public at
Settlement of Her \$30,000
Suit in London.

CALLED HIM "BELOVED"

"I Am, With Joy, Yours," She
Wrote—He Answered Her
Through Paris Newspapers.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch
and New York World.
LONDON, July 16.—A settlement was
made in the Lord Chief Justice's Court
yesterday in the Countess Diane de
Bechevet-Beauregard's claim against
the estate of the late J. Pierpont Mor-
gan. After a conference of counsel the
plaintiff withdrew the action. All that
was announced publicly was: "Case
settled on terms marked on counsel's
brief."

The Countess received a sum of money
and the Morgan executors agreed to re-
turn a vase, pedestal and picture which
the Countess sold to Morgan, and for
which she demanded \$30,000. The ex-
ecutors will pay legal expenses of the
Countess in the case.

Probably the chief reason for settle-
ment was a desire to avoid the trouble
of trial and bringing witnesses from
Paris. Correspondence which spread over
many years and bundles of documents,
including many letters penned by the
Countess, were in the possession of the
lawyers. There appeared to be nothing,
however, written by Morgan.

When the fiancée was in Rome, the
Countess stated, it was arranged be-
tween them that he was to reply to her
letters through the medium of a Paris
newspaper, and she gathered from social
paragrap the information necessary
concerning his health and movements.

Last interview with Morgan.
The Countess last interview with
Morgan was on July 13, 1912, when he
left for New York. Two days previous-
ly, she wrote him:

"Dear Mr. Morgan: It is on Saturday,
then, that I shall have the pleasure of
seeing you again. I will not disguise
from you that this novel event in my
life leaves me, at this moment, in a
state of perturbation which is disquiet-
ing. Perhaps you are right in saying
that life is short and one must always
take advantage of the present hour in
order to come to happiness as quickly
as possible. Well, then, let us do so."

"COMTESSE DIANE."
This apparently was written, accord-
ing to counsel's story, a little over a
month after Morgan is said to have
agreed to pay her \$30,000 for the vase,
pedestal and picture. She says she never
asked for any written agreement. She
always accepted his word, as everybody
did. She expected the fiancée to settle
with her on his return to London, but
he died before reaching London.

Addressed him as "Beloved."
After his return to New York the
Countess wrote him a long effusive let-
ter eulogizing his "generous, amiable
character." The letter began "Friend-
Beloved," and ended:

"A woman of any worth would only
love one of whom she has a right to be
proud, and so at this moment I permit
my heart to give quite freely to the hor-
rors of deprivation under the pretext of
being strong minded."

"It is in confidence that I flatter
you. You may say what you think of it,
but you will not destroy. I am sure, that
possession to be admired. And though
this affection must be, for me, a little
strange, I ask of the destinies that they
may surround it with all felicity, which
will be to me the poetry of happiness."

"Hoping to see you again very soon,
desire friends, and as one must always
belong to someone I am, with joy, yours,
"COMTESSE DIANE."

The Countess apparently kept copies
of all the letters she wrote to Morgan,
for she conceived the idea of sending
him in New York a complete set of her
correspondence and she purchased for
this purpose a red-covered leather book,
wherein she placed them, together with
the newspaper replies, which were all
forwarded to Morgan's residence in Mad-
ison avenue.

Delivered Picture Personally.
She says she delivered the picture
personally to Morgan, who consented
to her having a copy made and gave
her the picture back for this purpose.

By the time the copy was made, how-
ever, Morgan had died.

The Countess took the original to the
Victoria and Albert Museum, asking
the authorities to retain it for Mor-
gan's executors.

The Countess' husband, who was re-
puted to be a son of Napoleon III and
the Countess de Beauregard, was at one
time the French Ambassador to Lon-
don. He was entrusted with importan-
national missions between the two coun-
tries. He was held in high esteem by
Napoleon III and also by the English
royal family and court, especially by
the late King Edward and Queen Alex-
andra.

The Countess' unbounded admiration
for Morgan seems to have been found-
ed only upon a few casual meetings
with him.

Woman Who Ended Life With Poison in East St. Louis Hotel



Mrs. MATTIE S. GOODWIN

—Photo by Zahn Studio.

DIVORCED WOMAN ENDS LIFE IN HOTEL IN EAST ST. LOUIS

Mrs. Goodwin of Hotel Beers
Takes Poison in Tele-
phone Booth.

Mrs. Mattie Goodwin, who killed her-
self in dramatic circumstances last
night in the lobby of the Ilmo Hotel in
East St. Louis, had despaired of
effecting a reconciliation with her
former husband, E. A. Goodwin,
a wealthy horse dealer. She ob-
tained a divorce Jan. 16 last, after an-
nouncing that she still loved Goodwin,
but wanted to "free him" because she
felt she could not regain his waning
affections. She was 28 years old and
he is 35, almost twice her age.

Since the divorce Mrs. Goodwin had
lived in St. Louis at the Beers Hotel,
Grand avenue and Olive street. Good-
win has continued his residence at the
Ilmo Hotel, where he had lived with
his wife.

Goodwin told a Post-Dispatch reporter
today that he got out of bed at 10 o'clock
last night, in response to a telephone
call from his former wife, who asked
that he meet her at the west end of
Eads bridge to explain why she had
not received \$50,000 which he gave
the City Clerk last Tuesday to mail to
her. Subsequent inquiry disclosed she
had received the alimony.

Goodwin, failing to find his wife at
the bridge, returned to the hotel, where
other guests told him how Mrs. Good-
win had ended her life.

Takes Poison in Telephone Booth.
Mrs. Goodwin had arrived at the Ilmo
at 10:25. After writing a note to
Goodwin, she entered a telephone booth.
A few moments later she staggered out
of the booth and fell into a chair in the
lobby.

Several women and men, who lived at
the hotel and who knew Mrs. Goodwin,
during her year's residence there with
her husband, rushed to her. One wom-
an, detecting the odor of carbolic acid,
asked Mrs. Goodwin if she had taken
poison.

"Yes, carbolic acid," Mrs. Goodwin re-
plied.

Dr. M. F. Arbuckle, an oculist, ran
into the barroom and got whiskey. Mrs.
Goodwin refused to swallow it, and he
forced it down her throat. Then she
was carried upstairs to a room, where
Dr. E. Van Boyd, who lives at the hotel,
applied a stomach pump. She died at
10:45, still clutching, in her right hand,
the farewell note she had written to her
former husband.

Tears Up Note Unread.
Goodwin said he got the note and tore
it up without reading it. Mrs. Goodwin,
he said, had frequently, on the telephone
and once on a personal visit suggested a
reconciliation, but he always told her
it would be impossible, because of her
insane jealousy.

Mrs. Goodwin's divorce suit was filed
in East St. Louis about three weeks
after an exciting episode in the Avenue
Theater, East St. Louis, Nov. 17 last.

WOMEN ORGANIZE TO ACT IN CONCERT ON CIVIC PROBLEMS

Recent Defeats at City Hall
Leads to Forming of Commit-
tee of Public Affairs.

MUCH EFFORT WASTED

Every Woman Interested in
Local Questions Will Be Asked
to Join New Body.

An organization of women which in-
tends to become a force to be reckoned
with at the city hall, where recently
unorganized deputations have failed,
was affected yesterday afternoon at
Civic League headquarters. Roger
Baldwin, secretary, called a meeting of
executives of every woman's organiza-
tion interested in civic work. Mrs.
Philip N. Moore presided.

The Women's Public Affairs Commit-
tee was the name adopted and a sub-
committee which was appointed pur-
poses before autumn to have collected
and card-indexed the name of every in-
dividual woman and every woman's or-
ganization that ever can or ever hopes
to be interested and active in public af-
fairs or social service. Everyone so
listed will be eligible for membership.
It is hoped that with a central body,
downtown headquarters and paid office
force, much duplication of effort that
frequently has confused and obstructed
organizations working in the same di-
rection, will be done away with.

Chicago Has Similar Body.
It also is intended to develop a pro-
gram wherein women's activity may
really be felt, especially with regard to
what goes on at the city hall.

Mrs. Moore cited as an example a
committee of similar name and pur-
poses that was effective in Chicago mu-
nicipal affairs before women gained citi-
zenship there.

Organizations notified of the meeting
were the Mother's Congress, Woman's
Trade Union League, Equal Suffrage
League, W. C. T. U., Y. W. C. A.,
Town Club, College Club, Colored Wom-
en's Federation, Central Council of Civic
Agencies, District and State Federation
of Women's Clubs and the Women's
Council. The women who responded
were Mrs. Utter, Littlefield, Gelhorn,
Pischoff, Fordyce, January, Miss Bul-
keley, Miss Cecelia Roosevelt, Miss Pan-
nle D. Robb and Miss Nellie Quick.

Taxpayers' League Planned.
There is prospect of formation also
a woman's taxpayers' league, with which
it is hoped women as taxpayers may
offset the familiar catch word of the
political speaker, "I represent the tax-
payers."

Miss Mary E. Bulkley, who has been
making a count in the Assessor's books,
finds that 80 per cent of the taxpayers
in St. Louis are women and 20 per cent
pay taxes independently of their hus-
bands.

Man Arrested After Getting Dinner
and \$5 Posing as Ball Team Member.
A man describing himself as John
Deane, a "member of the Chicago
Federal Baseball Club," put away \$5.75
worth of food and borrowed \$5 at the
American Hotel last night. He was
about to make another "touch" on the
strengthen of the club when he was a
professional ballplayer when some fan
tipped the clerk that the guest was
"fourflushing."

A policeman was called and the man
posing as a big leaguer was "sweat-
ed" in bleacher lingo. He made a bone
play when he said he could prove his
identity by Manager Tinker. The po-
liceman took him to the Buckingham
Hotel and Tinker said that he was not
even a bat carrier. Delaney was then
arrested.

The Associated Press News Service
is received and printed exclusively by
the Post-Dispatch in the St. Louis even-
ing field.

Was Member of Beaulieu Family.
SANTA MONICA, Cal., July 16.—Mrs.
Margaret B. Arnold, descendant of the
Beaulieu family of Detroit, died here
last night. The Beaulieu family still
occupy part of property in Detroit de-
scended to their ancestors by the King
of France two centuries ago. Mrs. Ar-
nold was formerly a special writer on a
Chicago morning paper.

Lynched for Wounding Policeman.
DUNKIE, La., July 16.—A mob here
last night hanged Thomas Collins, a
negro, accused of wounding a police-
man, W. C. Townsend, who was shot
when he tried to arrest the negro.

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MISSOURI STATE SEAL SPOONS

TODAY and
TOMORROW

- 1 Spoon FREE with \$1.00 Purchase
- 3 Spoons FREE with \$2.00 Purchase
- 6 Spoons FREE with \$3.00 Purchase

Famous William A. Rogers (Ltd.) guaranteed
silver plate, 25% above standard. Beautiful
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Work of highest order.

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Why Not a Jolly Trolley Party?

No need to take a long expensive outing when we will
whisk you to the beautiful River Bluffs of Illinois, where the
cool breezes always blow. Cars at any hour, day or evening,
coaches may be chartered to take your party when and where
desired.

Piasa Chautauqua, Ill.
Reached via our lines; a charming journey by way of Alton.
Enjoy the picturesque ride over hill and dale and by the cool
brookside.

Lovely Lebanon, Ill.
THE OLD COLLEGE TOWN.
Said by travelers to excel in pastoral beauty any place in for-
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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

The Problem of Unemployment.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
I read with a great deal of interest your editorial of Saturday, July 10, entitled "Wanted, a Real Employment Bureau." I agree with you that something should be done immediately to relieve the unemployed. I personally receive daily up to a dozen requests from men and women seeking employment, and notwithstanding my wide acquaintance and that I advertise for them in the daily papers for work, very seldom am I able to find work for them.

Employment bureaus will not create any work whatsoever, and the unemployed willing workers need work. What will we do for their relief this winter? For each unemployed now there will be 100 this winter. Lodging houses, soup kitchens, provident associations and other makeshifts of that kind are not a remedy, but at the best only a temporary degrading relief. After the lesson St. Louis had last winter, it is the duty of our city government and the press to see that we shall be prepared for a condition which will surely be here by the end of November. Let us start now and have no delays, as means and ways must be found so that we can at least say that we tried. A. HOFFMANN.

Work and Its Reward.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
The bees are great workers, laying up honey for others. They are typical of the laboring class. In summer time when flowers are in bloom, the life of a bee is only six weeks. How like the foolish human who wears himself out for others—even in the case of the successful one under the present system. Work is wisdom, but let the reward for it be poured down all along the line in this life. SIDNEY AVERILL, Vigas, Mo.

"Sunday Closing Law."
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
I notice a few hardware men are protesting against the closing of their stores on Sunday. This law is written on our statute books and should be enforced to the letter. It should not only apply to hardware stores, but to all retail stores in general, such as clothing, furnishing goods, dry goods, hats and shoes, which are not a necessity. Our Board of Aldermen should do their duty and enforce this law without respect of persons and give the clerks employed in these stores one day of rest in seven, which they are entitled to for the benefit of their health and for the cause of humanity. RETAIL CLERK.

Weight of the Loaf.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
Yes, sell bread by weight. I bought 56 loaves of bread the other day for poor persons and the weight was just 40 pounds. Sure, sell bread by weight. R. C.

The Fly Crop.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
With the Health Department giving 10 cents a quart for dead flies, there is still a living fly surplus. Does the St. Louis kid know what's a wart? G. C.

Gained Citizenship Through Post-Dispatch.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
Herewith acknowledge the receipt of your check for \$5, thanking you very much for publishing war letter.
I am a constant reader of your paper ever since I immigrated from Germany, 12 years ago; at that time I could not speak one word American.

This Post-Dispatch, therefore, has been my teacher and instructor in the American language, as well as my best friend in helping me to overcome rising difficulties, to gain citizenship and keep aloft in life's struggle.
"Long live the Post-Dispatch."
KURT MATTHIAS.
East St. Louis, Ill.

Use for the Kaiser's Ships.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
As an humble neutral citizen, I would be in favor of taking the Kaiser up on his proposition to lend us his ships. They could be loaded with the Neutrality League to fight for Deutschland Ueber Alles, and if the allies captured them, Ich Ka Bibble! JNO. MITCHELL.

THE BELLIGERENT POST.
From the Washington Herald.
"If protests will not avail, then the United States will go to war to enforce its rights. Germany has been made to understand this fact, and it would be well if Great Britain were made to understand it."—Washington Post. What? Two wars? And the Post serves we are not prepared for one.

THE VALUE OF SEA POWER.

Never was there a better illustration of the value of sea power than that supplied by the present situation on the ocean.

From lack of sufficient naval forces Germany is bottled up. All of her across-sea trade, except so much of it as may be carried on by surreptitious means has been lost. Her great merchant marine has been swept from the ocean.

So severe is the restriction of trade that the German Government has resorted to desperate methods of reprisal in the effort to break the blockade. It has undertaken piratical warfare with submarine and thus has not only alienated public opinion, but has endangered its friendly relations with neutral Powers. The United States is on the verge of the rupture of friendly relations on account of the lawless methods of German submarine warfare.

On the other hand, by reason of preponderating naval forces, Great Britain controls the sea for her own advantage. Although her methods adhere to legal forms, she violates international law in dealing with neutral nations at will. She now presumes not only to enforce a paper blockade of German coasts, but to regulate all neutral sea traffic with European countries against the protests of neutral nations.

The contrast on the sea, between helpless Germany and all-powerful Great Britain is the measure of the value of sea power. Great Britain's strong navy is the key to the ocean.

The illustration is timely to remind Americans of the needs of our navy. It is the psychological moment for the Navy League movement which is designed to inform the people of the value of the navy as an arm of defense and its requirements for efficient service.

Our defense against powerful foreign attack is on the sea. We are fortunately safe from menacing aggression by territorial neighbors. We ought to have a navy sufficient and efficient enough to resist sea attack by the most powerful foreign navy. Our navy should be sufficient to defend our own ocean rights, and our sea commerce. It ought to be able to protect the American continent from foreign aggression; in short, to enforce the Monroe Doctrine.

Rear Admiral Dillingham, in his clear, forceful exposition of the navy's needs, in the Post-Dispatch, pointed out the way to get an efficient navy. The men who know best what naval forces are required for effective defense are the members of the General Board of the navy, trained and experienced in naval work. Congress has provided for a general naval staff to co-ordinate the branches of the service and direct its service. Secretary Daniels is planning a strong board of engineers and inventors to devise and test new and improved equipment.

Money and authority for naval development and construction must come from Congress. Before anything can be done, Congress must appropriate the money. The direction of Congress lies with the people, who have only to signify their will. The people of the United States ought to be convinced of the necessity of a stronger navy. They ought to insure action by Congress.

RISKS AND RIGHTS.

It has taken Mr. Bryan many days to formulate to his entire satisfaction the basic theory of his peace-at-any-price policy, but here it is in its latest form:

If patriotism requires a man to risk his life for his country when his country is engaged in war, it would seem to be patriotic for a citizen to avoid risks that might involve his country in war.
On this principle we assumed foolish risks when we declared our independence; when we fought Great Britain in 1812 for the freedom of the seas; when we attempted to reinforce Fort Sumter in 1861, and when we took umbrage at the destruction of the Maine in 1898.

The risks which Mr. Bryan asks the American people to avoid are risks.

A DRAMATIC HOPE.

The Frohman interests are to be congratulated on securing the services of Augustus Thomas as art director of their enterprises, and the theatergoing public has reason to be gratified by the selection. Mr. Thomas is not only a distinguished playwright, but also, from his long acquaintance with the stage, a competent authority on all matters of theatrical production. He is qualified to appraise dramatic values from the point of view of both the author and the producer. He will occupy a position where he can exercise a very direct and exceptionally wide influence on American dramatic art as respects its improvement and refinement.

Certainly, if anyone can hold the stage up to its highest standard, Mr. Thomas can. Possibly under his touch the Broadway drama may to an extent realize the ideals which it was the unaccomplished purpose of the New Theater to foster. At least the opportunity is there and the incentive exists, both in the public demand for the best stage can give and in the menacing composition of the mechanical drama.

CONTRASTING STARVATION POLICIES.

The list of merchant ships, belligerent and neutral, sunk by German submarines is long and impressive. But, with few exceptions, hardly worth noting, Germany has not gained a pound of food or war material from this policy of sinking ships.

In contrast with this, a news item gives a glimpse of how profitable to Great Britain is her policy of seizure and prize court forfeiture of ships' cargoes. In the proceedings to condemn three Norwegian steamships Monday, the British Attorney-General said that 33 other vessels with similar cargoes had been captured. The cargoes of these ships consisted for the most part of farm produce, meat from the great American packing

houses and lard. Altogether, no less than 23,274,580 pounds of meat and meat products were included in the cargoes. And, of course, Great Britain gets most, if not all, of this, though she must pay for it at the market rates.

It is self-evident that, but for the moral effect sought to be brought about by the sinking of ships and its accompanying loss of life, Great Britain benefits much more by its policy of seizure than Germany can hope to do by its policy of torpedoing. As a starvation policy, the submarine warfare will not be a striking success, as long as Great Britain can go on unchecked in her policy of seizure and forfeiture of food and other products.

THE GREATEST HUMAN GRIEF.

When the noose of the hangman brought disgraceful death to William Sprouse today, the public shuddered with sympathy or horror.

But to a sane man, whose mind is normal—and especially to a father—it seems that the crowning humiliation and sorrow of human experience that a man could know came to Sprouse nearly 24 hours before his execution, when his own children repudiated him and refused to see him or tell him goodbye.

The scorn of society, the condemnation of the world, the fear of such a death, and the pain of it might fall to move a man as would the denial of all love and sympathy by his children.

Press reports say that "Sprouse was moved for the first time since his incarceration when his children refused to see him." This is not strange. It has been suggested that Sprouse was insane. His conduct while in jail has been cited to substantiate that theory. If true, it still would be only natural for him to have been "moved."

It is almost impossible to conceive that the human mind could become so diseased or disordered that such a thrust would fall to wring from its uttermost depths a sigh of mortal anguish.

THE HIGH COST OF LAWING.

It cost \$215,000 in lawyers' fees to divorce the Guggenheims. Divorce is getting into the class of luxuries with appendicitis, yachting and bankruptcy.

JANE ADDAMS' MISTAKE.

Richard Harding Davis, in a letter to the New York Times, condemns Jane Addams severely because, on her return from Europe, she is said to have asserted that the soldiers in the trenches were incited to bayonet charges by dopping them with intoxicating drinks. Mr. Davis says:

In this war the French or English soldier who has been killed in a bayonet charge gave his life to protect his home and country. For his supreme exit he had prepared himself by months of discipline. Through the winter in the trenches he has endured shells, disease, snow and ice. For months he had been separated from his wife, children, friends—all those he most loved. When the order to charge came it was for them he gave his life, that against those who destroyed Belgium they might preserve their home, might live to enjoy peace.

Miss Addams denies him the credit of his sacrifice. She strips him of honor and courage. She tells his children, "Your father did not die for France, or for England, or for you; he died because he was drunk."

Mr. Davis denies that the French or English Governments are giving their fighting men intoxicating drink. He himself could not get a drink of absinthe anywhere in France. Russia has banished vodka and there has been a tremendous outcry against drink in Great Britain, as one of the factors tending to prolong the struggle.

There is no need of mutual recrimination on this question. Few people will believe that any of the Governments at war are "dopping" their men in order to give them a spurious courage. In the first place, it is not necessary. All the war news has proven that personal courage is the commonest virtue to be found at front. And no nation has a monopoly of it.

In the next place, if the various commissaries are permitted to serve alcoholic drinks, in moderation, no one but superstitious female souls will be surprised or horrified. Perhaps it is time for men, in all parts of the world, to insist that teetotalers and women are no judges as to what men may drink, as long as they are temperate about it. Would Miss Addams deny the war nurse a second cup of tea, as an emergency?

The whole trouble seems to have come about by the rose-leaf boudoir idea that men can stand months in wet trenches, under fire, facing death momentarily, but must be knocked out by a glass of beer or a sip of something stronger. Besides, there may not be enough tea to go around in the trenches.

Harry Thaw's sanity will probably have to be declared several times to make it perfectly legal in New York. New York has contracted a hopeless mania for trying Thaw.

ECHOES FROM THE GLEN.

Golf is presumed to be a democratic pursuit and perfect leveler of distinctions. It is impersonal almost to the point of anonymity. The only personality who cuts any figure is Col. Bogey, and he exists in contemplation of mind only, a soulless entity like a corporation, for whose feelings no consideration whatever is had.

Wherefore, we shall waste no sympathy on the 135 Old Guards who were not bidden to rejoin the reorganized Glen Echo Club, assuming, as we do, that their omission had nothing to do with personal considerations, but was due to purely golfing reasons and highest motives. It may be a reflection on one's game, but it is no disgrace to one's self to be frozen out of a golf club.

We are assured that lofty considerations of civic pride and public spirit played a part in the reorganization. Looking forward to a Greater St. Louis, the first step is the weeding out of "dub" players. Public opinion will strongly endorse whatever sacrifices are necessary to St. Louis' golfing distinction. Slicers and pullers and toppers and divot-diggers are well out of the picture of Glen Echo's classic greens, cynosure of the world's golfing eyes. We, as a city, have a right to demand that all those who remain in the organization maintain the highest perfection of golfing standards.



THE RESULT.

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH by Clark McAdams



MR. ANTWINE ON OUR INVENTORS.

MR. ANTWINE had finished reading everything there was in the Bald Knob post-office, and was prepared to unload.

"All our inventors have been called out," he said. "They are to constitute a Citizens' Advisory Committee, and if we have war they are to make it so scientific for the other side it will soon be over. Mr. Edison, who has chiefly devoted his genius up to this time to the invention of little catchpennies of one kind and another for the popular amusement, is to render his country a real service by devising a means of locating and destroying submarines without too much risk. Mr. Wright, aeroplanes, is to get up something that can run down things like Zeppelins and German triplanes. Mr. Ford, automobiles, is to get up a submarine anybody can buy and adapt to individual use about seaports—something that will be to war what the Ford automobile has been to peace. Mr. Tesla, electricity and weird current effects of no special use hitherto, is to think up some way in which lightning can be made to strike the enemy. Mr. Maxim, explosives and rapid-fire guns, is to make the rest of the world look like pikers in that line, as he done before; and Dr. Bell, telephones, is to think up something that will be at once sportmanlike and deadly at a safe range."

THE GRANT STATUE: LET US HAVE PEACE.



ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

DATES.

SAM—Civil service examination for stenographers, Oct. 24, 1914. Age 18 and over.

KILBY.—(Supplement 1.) Gunboat Nashville arrived at St. Louis May 16, 1915. Monitor Albatross arrived April 28, 1915. Nashville and Lawrence arrived April 29, 1915. Albatross was not with the Lawrence. Of the Nashville's trip here in May, 1915, Michael Mallin, the man who fired the first gun of the Spanish war, was on board.

P. C.—France declared war on Germany Aug. 4, 1914. Great Britain on Germany August 4, 1914, and the United States on Germany August 6, 1914. This statement was published: Declaring war used to be the custom, but it is fairly obsolete now. During the latter part of the sixteenth century the custom sprang up, and was generally adopted, of issuing a manifesto or notice of the commencement of war, not necessarily to the enemy, but to the diplomatic agents of other nations, who were required to observe the laws of neutrality. Neither the war with England in 1812 nor the war with Mexico in 1846 did the United States issue either a manifesto or declaration. The opium war of 1840, the Italian war of 1859, the Anglo-Peruvian war of 1881, as well as the Danish struggle about Schleswig-Holstein in 1814, and the war between Brazil and Uruguay in the following year, all commenced acts of hostility, preceded, indeed, in several instances by diplomatic notes and manifestoes, but in no case heralded by a formal declaration.

ETIQUETTE.

BIRDIE.—The men pay for everything outside the house—even the carriage from the church to the house, as she goes to church in her father's car, returns in her husband's. He always makes the donation.

HEALTH HINTS.

MRS. BROWN—For county fairs list try writing Agricultural College, Columbia, Mo.

READER.—Better talk with a physician about the twitching feeling in the side.

M. H. S.—The twilight sleep has been found unsatisfactory. Address your inquiry to Barnes Hospital.

FAITHFUL.—There is no "permanent cure" for nearsightedness. The defect must be corrected by suitable glasses. Close office work affects the vision.

H. W.—For constipation eat bran. For bad memory practice concentration, thought on whatever you wish to remember, or associate it with something that will help you remember.

HORTENSIA.—Of head noises, Marion Harland writes: I have yet to see or hear the first sufferer from the distressing affection who was ever permanently helped by anything proposed. If the blowing like the escape of steam from the pipes, and the buzzing, as of a hive of angry bees, proceed from the hardening of the wax in the outer chamber of the ear, a specialist may remove it. When—as happens nine times out of ten—the "head noises" are caused by disordered nerves, the best thing to do is to learn to control it. With patience one can master and keep. I speak as one having authority, having endured the nuisance 10 years—ever since a peculiarly vicious attack of the grip started the trouble, and has been in my head. (See Answers July 6.)

LAW POINTS.

H. H. G.—As to yourself, the agreement is binding, as you will not say. Did she have such an interest as to require her signature? Facts of case must determine that, which you omit.

J. S. B.—An easement accrues after 10 years, if not up that long, you can cut off coping that encroaches on your property. Before doing so, be sure you have line surveyed to get the true dividing line.

LAW.—If you have permission from building owner and have complied with the laws in regard to cigar selling, the other man may be liable to a fine if you sell from a stall. He may be sued for damages if he injures your business in any unlawful way.

CREDIT.—No debtor can be forced to name a date when he will pay a bill. If he does not pay he will be liable if he has property not exempt it may be taken for the debt. Or his salary or wages may be garnished 10 per cent if he is head of a family.

INVESTOR.—Why not list the property with another agent, as long as you are within a year, change again. We think the same can be done to the disadvantage by a Chicago agent. Some agents here may handle it; see some. If sold from here, papers must be prepared according to Illinois law.

M. H.—The fact of water seeping in cellar would be no excuse for not paying your rent; neither can you collect for trouble in baiting it out. We doubt your success in a suit for damages on account of sickness caused by damp cellar. If subject to seepage water in cellar, the only advice we can think to give is to vacate.

R. R. B.—Unless you signed away your right of exemptions and are the head of a family, or have someone dependent upon you for support, you can get the ordinary amount of furniture (say about \$500 in value) Constable cannot attach it for rent due by any means. Should he make a bluff about doing so. Should he, mention the fact that you claim all the same by right of the exemption law as such householder.

MICHAEL WOOD.—See the Librarian.
TOM.—To keep away mosquitoes wear light yellow. See Answers July 5.
M. U. F.—Cantillides, Spanish fly or other caustics dried quantity and employed externally as a blister and internally as an irritant, diuretic and aphrodisiac. Try writing Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

SAUNDERS.—Your question has been answered over and over again. People needs a rest. Creole, a native of Spanish America, or the West Indian of European (originally Spanish) parentage, distinguished from negro, aboriginal or person of mixed blood. Creole (1) a native descended from French or Spanish ancestors by either parent, and white native who speaks French; (2) a native-born negro as distinguished from one brought from Africa.

BILLY.—School formula for lice: Equal parts kerosene oil and olive oil. Rub the kerosene and olive oil, and night rub the mixture well into the scalp. Then with a piece of muslin cover the hair and comb it out. Repeat this two or three times.
C. J. H. B.—Stag party: Have good singers and story tellers. Dinner: Toast with canned oysters spread on it, garnished with slices of lemon and egg. You want something before the soup and this is easy to get. Cream of chicken soup with croquettes; boiled fish with Hollandaise sauce, and cucumber. Fish French dressing; turkey, cranberry sauce, mashed potatoes, egg-plant stuffed with cold ham and apple and celery salad; vanilla ice cream with hot chocolate sauce. Have coffee and charged water. If you do not want any alcoholic drinks.

CORFILL.—Mitchell's obesity treatment consists of making skimmed milk the principal diet. He avers that if used for the entire day, it effects a reduction of a half pound of superfluous fat daily. If strength requires, the milk may be supplemented with meat or oyster broth. Along with this self-denial must go daily physical exercise, especially long walks. If you cease to give your body fat-making foods you will cease creating fat. Practice self-control. Reduce diet. Avoid sweets, eggs, fat meats and especially potatoes. Live mainly on lettuce, spinach, cabbage, lean meats, and fruit, such as pears, tomatoes, etc. Take salted toast instead of bread and butter. (Read the remarkable experience of J. H. Smith in Sunday Magazine of July 15.)

Save \$5 to \$10

Kansas City Cash Grain.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 16.—Cash wheat
1c to 3c higher; No. 2 hard, \$1.68; 1.42;
No. 3 hard, 1.30; No. 2 red, \$1.61; 1.35;
No. 3, \$1.16; 1.28.
Corn 1c to 1 1/2c higher; No. 2 mixed, 77c;
No. 3, 75c; No. 4 white, 74c; 74 1/2c; No. 2
yellow, 74c; No. 2 yellow, 73 1/2c; 73c; No. 3,
73 1/2c; 73c.
Oats unchanged; No. 2 white, 50c; No. 2
mixed, 49 1/2c. Rye, 52 1/2c. Hay un-
changed.

Peoria Grain.
PEORIA, Ill., July 16.—Corn 1/2c lower;
No. 1 white, 77c; No. 2 white, 77 1/2c; No. 3
white, 76 1/2c; No. 4 white, 76 1/2c; No. 2
yellow, 77 1/2c; No. 3 yellow, 76 1/2c; No. 2
mixed, 77c; No. 3 mixed, 76 1/2c; sample.

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NEW YORK, July 10.—The metal exchange quotes lead offered at 5.52. Spelter not quoted.

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PARIS, July 18.—Prices were weak on the Bourse today. Renten 69 francs. Exchange on London 25 francs 5/4 centimes.

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The Jarr Family

Written for the Post-Dispatch
By Roy L. McCardell.

Mrs. Jarr's Left Eyelid Won't Behave; Which Makes the Rest of Her Angry.

It was a genial early summer day. Mrs. Jarr was at peace with all the world. She was riding downtown in a car. She had laid all household cares aside and was going to revel in four hours of reviewing the styles in the department stores.

A tranquility lulled Mrs. Jarr, and then a nervous twitching in her left eye began to distract her. With her gloved hand she smoothed her temple and endeavored to forget it, when an over-dressed, middle-aged man next her smirked into her face and said, "Lovely day, isn't it?"

Mrs. Jarr edged away and pretended not to notice.

"Looks like rain, a little, though," the overdressed man went sweetly on, taking out his watch to show that it had a big diamond set in the back.

Mrs. Jarr gave no heed, and then the twitching obsessed her.

"You look good to me, all right," continued the objectionable person, adjusting his scarf that Mrs. Jarr might note the star sapphire pin he wore, confirming, with his watch, the fact that the party who addressed her was a hot sport—there with a roll.

Mrs. Jarr endeavored to freeze him with a glance, but the twitching came on again and defeated her purpose.

"Oh, I'm wise! I'm wise!" whispered the overdressed man from the corner of his mouth. "I've got to be cautious, too; you never can tell who's piping you off."

Mrs. Jarr turned her head and stared in the other direction.

"Fine!" whispered the man. "I can pour it right into your ear, Birdie. I'll drop off at the block below where you do, Birdie."

"Are you addressing me, sir?" said Mrs. Jarr, turning white and fairly blazing with anger, bursting out at last.

"Why sure," said the man, coolly.

"You wanted me to, didn't you?"

"You are a loafer!" snapped Mrs. Jarr. "And if you annoy me any more I'll have you arrested!"

"What's got you sore now, Birdie?" asked the man in a bantering tone.

Mrs. Jarr hesitated between her indignation and the reluctance of every good woman to create a scene in public which might possibly result in unpleasant publicity. At first she thought she would get off the car at the next stop, but fearing the man would follow her, she sat still.

"See somebody?" whispered the man, cautiously. "Oh, I'm on now!"

"Conductor," called Mrs. Jarr, "has a lady on this car no protection from vulgar masher?"

"Why, sure, lady?" replied the conductor. "What is it?"

"This man sitting beside me has been annoying me for blocks!" replied Mrs. Jarr, keeping her teeth back with difficulty, as she noticed the whole car

No Mistake.

THAT chap gets a thousand dollars a week," said the movie fan, indicating the funny man on the screen.

"How do you know he does?"

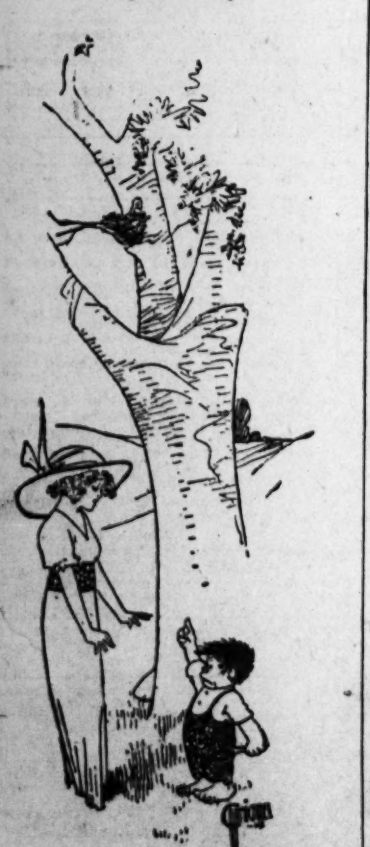
"I guess I ought to know. Don't I pay 10 cents a week toward it?"

Not So Lucky.

SADDS is a lucky chap. He's got a country estate on the Hudson, a hunting camp in the Adirondacks and a bungalow at the seashore.

"Yes, and his wife refuses to go to any of them. She insists that he find some new place to spend the summer."

Eye for Eye.



Teacher: Shame on you, Johnny Jones. Trying to kill the pretty little bird that never did you any harm.

Johnny: That's all you know it; I just seen that bird carryin' an angle worm to her nest. But ain't any too plentiful around here, and I want to go fishin' tomorrow.

S'MATTER POP?

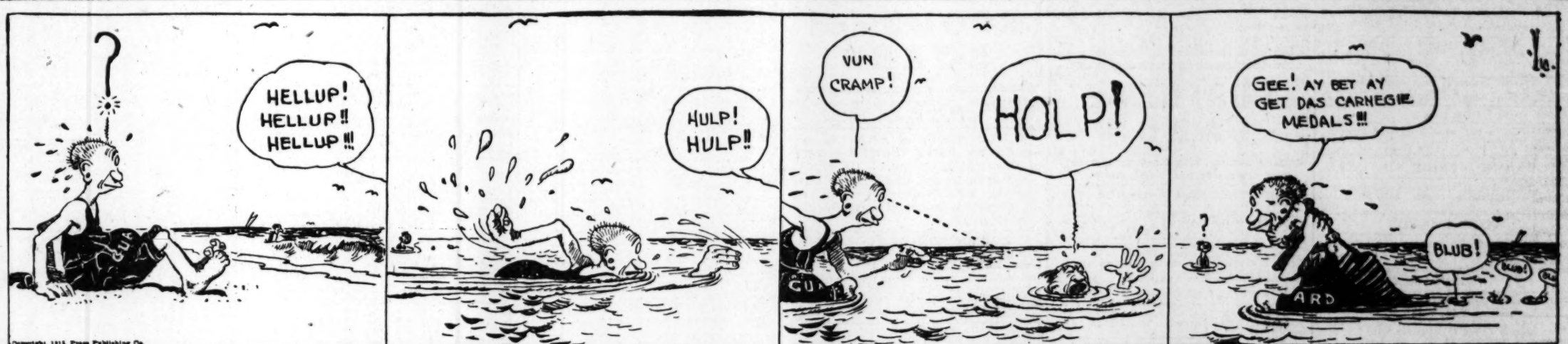
The More Noise the Better the Kiddos Like It!

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Which Is Worse? Having Cramps or Being "Saved" by Axel?

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'Twas Ever Thus.

A Spicy Retort.

WHAT does it mean when they say a man is mustard in?" asked a lad of a distinguished Major at the army.

"It means he's in for a hot time," And the Major patted the child's head and gave him half a dollar.

Nothing Doing.

HELLO, Bill. Glad to see you. I just got back from my vacation.

"Sorry, old man. I can't lend you a cent. I'm just going on mine."

Deserves It.

HEAVENS! The mob will tear that man to pieces! Can't something be done to stop them?"

"Let 'em alone. The man they're trying to lynch is the chap who invented the installment plan for selling books."

The Day.

IS this Friday, mamma?"

"No, darling. This is Thursday."

"Oh, dear! I can hardly wait for Saturday. Uncle George promised to take me to the drug store then and buy me a sundae."

It Serves Him Right.



Mamma Lion: Naughty boy! Didn't I tell you not to play with those porcupine children?

NOBODY but a golf player can understand why people want to walk around in the hot sun all afternoon playing golf when they could have twice as much fun sitting in the shade playing checkers.

Foolin' Em.

A SMALL boy seated on the curb by a telegraph pole, with a tin can by his side, attracted the attention of an old gentleman who happened to be passing. "Going fishing?" he inquired, good naturedly.

"None," the youngster replied; "take a peek in there."

An investigation showed the can to be partly filled with caterpillars of the tussock moth.

"What in the world are you doing with them?"

"They crawl up trees and eat off the leaves."

"So I understand."

"Well, I'm fooling a few of them."

"How?"

"Sending 'em up this telephone pole."

—Judge.

The Ruse Worked.

ROUGH neighbor, came in hand, confronted the Giant Juniors at first base, which happened to be a lamp post.

"Which one of you young rascals batted the ball that broke my upstairs window?" he growled, thumping the pavement menacingly with his stick.

Each member of the team looked as innocent as a china doll. None spoke.

Then the idea came. A grouchy neighbor. He permitted a smile to drive away the look of anger on his face.

"Say, boys," he said merrily, "I was only joking about that window pane. I used to play baseball myself when I was a boy, and I have been much interested in watching you play. You have a fine team here, but it seems to me you are a little weak in batting. I doubt if there is one of you who could knock a ball over that corner house."

Eight pairs of eyes turned toward Splinters, the wizard pitcher of the Giant Juniors, and Splinters himself, never unwilling to pose for the spotlight, stepped forward.

"That's where you're wrong, mister," he said. "If yer'd been here five minutes ago you'd of seen me slam one dat went 10 feet over de roof of dat house."

"Indeed!" exclaimed grouchy neighbor, grasping Splinters firmly by the collar. "That must have been the ball that broke my window. Now, you come with me and we'll see whether your father will settle the bill. If he doesn't I'll have to take you to the police station."

Raw Material.

DID you hear about Scribbler? The police caught him walking out of a hotel writing room with about \$10 worth of the hotel stationery under his coat.

"What did he have to say for himself?"

"Said he was gathering material for a novel."

Let Him Go to Work.

HOW is your son getting along?"

"I don't know what to make of that boy. He's been at college four years learning to be a baseball player, and now he wants me to send him to another college so he can learn to be a doctor."

Every owner presumes his dog innocent on all charges brought by his neighbors.—Toledo Blade.

The strength of a man's voice is not a measure of his mental capacity.—Albany Journal.

The faintest praise that can be given to a person is to say that he is well-meaning.

Love your neighbors as yourself, but to prevent the love growing cold change them often.—Desert News.

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